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INTERIOR SEATS WON BY TORIES

MARTIN BURRELL AND A. S. GOODEVE ELECTED

Conservatives Have Good Majorities in Kootenay and Yale-Cariboo.

KOOTENAY

A. S. Goodeve (Con.)	3,067
Smith Curtis (Lib.)	2,162
W. Davidson (Soc.)	1,303

YALE-CARIBOO

Martin Burrell (Con.)	2,742
Duncan Ross (Lib.)	1,958
C. Bunting (Soc.)	416

Two deferred elections were held in British Columbia yesterday, resulting in the return of two Conservative candidates. In Kootenay A. S. Goodeve defeated Smith Curtis by a majority of 905; while in Yale-Cariboo Martin Burrell was returned by a majority of 784 over Duncan Ross.

(Special to the Times.)

Nelson, Nov. 13.—Three reasons can be properly advanced for the overwhelming defeat here to-day of Smith Curtis, the Liberal candidate in Kootenay and the victory of Martin Burrell, Conservative candidate in Yale-Cariboo. Mr. Curtis lost in Kootenay; first, on the Asiatic question; second, on the lack of newspaper representation (the Conservatives having bought the Nelson News, the only daily of any consequence in the electorate); and third, on the lack of organization. The Socialist vote also robbed Smith Curtis, but this was due to the distrust of both parties by British Columbia workmen on the Asiatic question.

Mr. Sloan (Liberal) was elected in Comox-Atlin by acclamation, and this gives the Liberal government two out of seven seats, the reverse being evi-



MARTIN BURRELL,
Elected yesterday in Yale-Cariboo.

dently due to the distrust of the government on the Asiatic question. While this distrust is largely due to opposition misrepresentation, the Liberals have been too confident and neglected to work, the fact remaining that the only question considered by the great majority of voters was the Asiatic one.

The Tories have won a barren victory and the Liberals of Kootenay have the satisfaction of knowing that Sir Wilfrid Laurier will still continue his work. The large majority secured by A. S. Goodeve came as a great surprise to his supporters. Both sides had looked for a close contest and to the last moment neither was very confident of victory. It is probably true to say that the decisive victory obtained by the Tories was largely due to the fact that the Liberals had no paper in which to advocate their cause and to refute the wholely foundationless charges of their opponents in regard to a "White Canada" and "Better Terms."

But the chief factors in the campaign were the activities of the McBride government officials and the dead set made against Smith Curtis by the C. P. R. and its subsidiary mining companies, which happen to be the chief beneficiaries by the lead bounty policy of the Laurier administration. Every influence of the provincial government was exercised to the limit to defeat Smith Curtis.

Roadwork was engaged in on a simply extravagant scale with a view of securing the support of the ranchers and otherwise unemployed throughout the riding. Government officials were the most active and conspicuous workers in the campaign. Moreover, thanks to the activity of Tory collectors of votes in the several provincial ridings making up the Dominion Kootenay electoral district, hundreds of Liberals were disfranchised.

Kootenay Liberals are by no means dispirited over the result. They know what occasioned the defeat and that it was no reflection upon the Laurier government and they intend, commencing to-morrow, to set about strengthening their defences and most especially getting their voters' lists into good shape.

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240 MAJORITY.

(Special to the Times.)

Prince Albert, Sask., Nov. 13.—With ten polls to come W. W. Ruttan, Liberal, has 240 majority.

TORONTO'S POPULATION.

(Special to the Times).

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 13. The population of Toronto as given in the complete assessment of Commissioner Forman is 287,201, an increase of 14,601 over the previous year's figures. The assessment of the city is $222,207,413, an increase of $16,822,160.

MIDNIGHT AUTO FATALITY.

New Haven Man Stepping From Trolley Car Is Killed by Motor Car.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 13.—Just as he stepped from a trolley car in front of his home at midnight last night, Edwin G. Linsted, of this city was struck and killed by an automobile owned by Alton Farrell, son of Franklin Farrell, of Ansonia, the millionaire foundryman. Alton Farrell was chosen a presidential elector on the Republican ticket in the recent election and has been state senator and mayor of Ansonia. It is said he was driving the car.

NO HOPE FOR ENTOMBED MEN

DEAD IN GERMAN MINE EXPLOSION NUMBER 360

Shafts and Galleries Walled Up in Effort to Choke Fire.

Hamm, Westphalia, Germany, Nov. 13.—Rescue operations to reach the men entombed in the Radbod mine, where an explosion of fire damp occurred yesterday morning and resulted in great loss of life, have not yet been renewed. The authorities estimate that there are still 360 miners below the ground, but no hope is entertained that they can be saved.

Twenty-seven of the miners who were taken out severely injured are lying in hospitals. The shafts, pithead and galleries of the mine are being walled in, in an endeavor to choke the fire.

BODIES RECOVERTD.

Patrolmen Have Dangerous Task in Rescuing Remains of Smuggled Chinamen.

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 13.—The bodies of two of the Chinamen whose lives were lost by the wrecking of the boat in which they were being smuggled into the United States from Canada, and which were so tightly wedged among the rocks of the breakwall, have been recovered by the patrolmen of the night shift of the police tug. With ropes around them the two men descended the sloping wall in the face of the heavy breakers and loosened the bodies which were then landed on the wall. Up to 9.30 this morning there had been no arrests in connection with the smuggling of the Chinamen.

WILL PROTEST TORY SEATS IN ONTARIO

Centre Toronto one of Constituencies—Recounts in Different Places.

(Special to the Times.)

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 13.—The Ontario Reform Association is preparing to protest eight Conservative seats in the province as a result of the recent Dominion elections. Before December 5th, the date of entering the protest, arrives, the number will be increased. What the seats are the association refused to divulge, except that one of them is Centre Toronto.

Brandon Recount.

(Special to the Times.)

Brandon, Man., Nov. 13.—The recount has been finished in the Brandon election resulting in no change, the Hon. Clifford Sifton's majority remaining at 69.

Nipissing Is Tory.

(Special to the Times.)

North Bay, Ont., Nov. 13.—The official recount in the district of Nipissing confirms Gordon (Conservative) in the seat by a majority of 17 over McCool (Liberal).

In Rainy River.

(Special to the Times.)

Port Arthur, Ont., Nov. 13. The official majority of Conmee in Rainy River is 1,240.

FORTUNE FOR U. S. MARINE.

Falls Heir to $100,000 an Hour After He Enlists.

Chicago, Ills., Nov. 13.—An hour after James L. Dixon was sworn in as a recruit in the United States marine corps yesterday, his father died and left him $100,000. Dixon said he would "stick for the big show," and prepared to go to the marine barracks in Washington, D. C., just as if he had never heard of the $100,000.

A. C. Dixon, the father was a merchant-tailor at San Francisco where he died.

RICH FIND OF ORE.

Port Arthur, Ont., Nov. 13.—G. Frances and D. Matheson, of Montreal, who have been out on a prospecting trip in the Rainey River country, report making a rich find of iron ore along the line of the Canadian Northern railway.

KWANG-SU IS REPORTED DEAD

SECRECY ENVELOPES PASSING OF EMPEROR

Removed to Death Chamber and Prince Chung Appointed Regent.

Pekin, Nov. 13.—The Emperor of China was reported dead at 4 o'clock this afternoon. It had, however, been impossible to secure official confirmation of this announcement at 6 o'clock this evening. His Majesty was transferred to the death chamber at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. At that hour he was still breathing.

Two imperial edicts were issued from the palace this afternoon in rapid succession, the first makes Prince Chun, regent of the empire, and the second appoints his son Pu Wei, heir presumptive.

Simultaneously with the removal of the Emperor from the Winter palace to the death chamber in the "Forbidden City," the members of the grand council assembled in the palace.

The Dowager Empress was present at this meeting and is reported to have swooned. At half past four this afternoon a palace official of high standing said the Emperor was still alive. All the government offices are deserted. The palace is crowded with officials.

Prince Chun is a brother of the Emperor. His name is Tsai Feng. He succeeded to the title of his father, Prince Chun, in 1891. He is a lieutenant-general of the Plain White Banner corps and visited Germany in 1901 as a special commissioner from the throne.

This last illness of the Emperor's assumed a serious aspect a fortnight ago. It was then declared that he was suffering from grave intestinal complaint. He has persistently refused to accept foreign medical attention or to take foreign medicines, and has been attended only by Chinese practitioners. There are medical men here attached to the British and German legations who have stood ready to give their services.

GOTCH NOW MATCHED WITH HACKENSCHMIDT

World's Championship Bout to Be Wrestled in England.

London, Nov. 13.—Frank Gotch, the American wrestler, and George Hackenschmidt, the "Russian Lion," met in London this afternoon and agreed upon a match. The exact date has not been fixed, but it will not be before March.

On July 4th last Frank Gotch, champion catch-as-catch-can wrestler of the world, fresh after defeating Dr. Roller in Seattle, visited Victoria and announced to the Times that he would go to England and arrange another match with Hackenschmidt. Gotch said at the time he was not afraid of Hackenschmidt, and, owing to the fact that the Russian was dissatisfied with the result of the last match in Chicago, in which Hackenschmidt claimed that Gotch had oiled his body and thus had succeeded in eluding his grip, he would give the husky former champion a second chance to win out, and that the match would take place on English soil.

WILL CELEBRATE CHAMPLAIN TERCENTENARY

Vermont and New York and Quebec Interested in Discovery Anniversary.

Montpelier, Vt., Nov. 13.—The commissions representing the state of Vermont and New York are arranging for the celebration of the Tercentennial anniversary of the discovery of Lake Champlain and the surrounding territory now forming part of the two states and of the province of Quebec, and have decided upon the dates on which the observance will be held. The opening day of the celbration, Sunday, July 24th, has been arranged to consist largely of religious service, and will be general throughout New York, Vermont and Quebec. On Monday the real opening day of the observance, Crown Point, N. Y., will be the headquarters, on Tuesday Ticonderoga, N. Y., and on Wednesday Plattsburg will be the scenes of the closing celebrations in New York state. Shifting to Vermont on Thursday the main observances of that day will be held in Burlington, and the celebration will be continued in Isle Lamotte, on Friday. Saturday like the opening day will be featured in general observances.

CHILDREN BURN TO DEATH.

Elkins, W. Va., Nov. 13.—Five children of E. J. Rice, of Beverley, near here, lost their lives yesterday in a fire that destroyed their home. The fire followed an explosion of gas.

OPPOSED TO NAVIES.

Denver, Colo., Nov. 13.—At the Federation of Labor convention yesterday the reports of fraternal delegates, John Wadsworth and Herbert Skinner, of Great Britain and P. M. Draper, of Canada, were submitted. Mr. Wadsworth said the union workmen of Great Britain were opposed to building warships, and he believed the workingmen of this country were also opposed to extensions of the navy.

SUSPENDED AGENT AGAIN ON STAND

Says Department Never Lost Cent Through Any of His Acts.

(Special to the Times).

Quebec, Nov. 13.—In course of examination before the Cassels commission, Gregory, the suspended agent of the marine department, admitted he owned a hotel at River Quelle, known as the Laurentide hotel. He bought it for $400, but spent $10,000 on it. He had received moneys from the government, which owed him $30,000. The department's moneys were mixed up with his personal accounts when they owed him money as he wanted to recoupe himself for the moneys advanced.

Gregory said he wished to state he never signed a cheque or an account until it had been passed by the checking clerk. He had been the confidential agent of every government since Confederation, and had done all in his power for the efficiency of the service. He might have committed errors of the head, and perhaps, too, of the heart. He had done everything possible to help the poor working men who, with wages weeks in arrears came to him and begged him to help them. He was placed in a difficult position, but he wished to God some of the former ministers were here to-day, and they would help him. If Hon. Mr. Prefontaine were here now he would do so, he said. Witness told of Mr. Prefontaine's first visit to Quebec when he became minister. He placed his hand on witness's shoulder, told him that the St. Lawrence must be redeemed, and that they would do so. When the long session took place and the estimates were tied up he had also to raise money to keep the service running. The St. Lawrence had been redeemed as a result, and when the money was required to keep things running it was he—witness—who raised it.

On oath he never in his official life had done anything by which the department lost a cent.

Watson put questions as to whether accounts had not been kept back in order that Gregory might draw 5 per cent. upon drafts advanced.

The suggestion called forth an indignant denial from the witness. "My God, how can you say such a thing to me," he said.

"How can you reconcile the fact that you accepted 5 per cent. on accounts," asked Watson.

"I never did that, as God is my judge," responded Gregory.

Accounts showed when accounts were put in, but not when the goods were purchased. The books showed it often six and eight months later.

In answer to the concluding questions of Watson, witness said he was not coming back to court again. "I have told the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth, so help me God," he said.

PROVINCIAL FRUIT AGAIN WINS MEDALS

First Place Won at Two of the English Fairs by Exhibit.

British Columbia fruit has again shown its superiority over the exhibits from other parts of the world. This provincial display has taken the gold medal at Bath, England, and the silver gilt medal at the Crystal Palace, London. In both these cases the award is the highest possible.

The information has been received from R. M. Palmer, deputy minister of agriculture, who is in charge of the display. No particulars are available, the fact of the winnings only being given in the brief dispatch sent to the department.

WILL BE REVELATIONS IN FREE PRESS LIBEL SUIT

Methods by Which Tories Won Winnipeg to Be Exposed.

Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 13.—In the Winnipeg election libel suits the grand jury found a true bill against John W. Dafoe, editor of the Free Press, for defamation of character preferred by McLaglan, the leader of the gang which interrupted the Sifton meeting, and a true bill of criminal libel against the Free Press on the charge preferred against Adcock, one of the organizers of the same gang. Over two hundred witnesses are called in these suits, and the Free Press desires the trials to go in order to show the methods adopted by the opposition to win the Winnipeg election.

MAY ABROGATE TUPPER TREATY

CANADA AND HER RECIPROCAL TRADE

Retaliation If French Senate Fails to Ratify Present Convention.

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Nov. 13.—Failing the ratification of the Franco-Canadian trade convention of last year by the French senate at its present session, it is altogether probable that the Canadian government will give formal notice of the abrogation of the existing treaty as negotiated by Sir Charles Tupper in 1893. Under the conditions of the latter treaty Canada is practically precluded from entering into any preferential tariff agreements with other foreign countries because of the clause in the treaty which compels Canada to give to France and her colonies the benefits of the Canadian minimum tariff against any other country.

In the new treaty negotiated last year by Messrs. Fielding and Brodeur, this clause was eliminated and a way opened for Canada to enter into reciprocal trade treaties with Germany, Belgium or other countries if she so desired, without at the same time being compelled to extend to France all the concessions granted to these countries.

The treaties of 1893 is of little value the only export benefitting to any extent by the reduced French tariff being lobsters. Consequently if the French senate continues its opposition to the new treaty, Canada will lose nothing by the abrogation of the existing treaty, and will be in a position to consider reciprocal tariff proposals with other European powers.

No definite news has been received from Paris as to whether or not the French government can induce the senate to ratify the treaty during the present session.

Senate Considers Treaty.

(Special to the Times).

London, Nov. 13.—A dispatch from Paris says the customs committee of the senate has resumed its examination of the Franco-Canadian convention and appointed a sub-committee which summarized in a letter to the minister of the colonies the various objections to the draft convention.

PORT TOWNSEND SHOWS GOOD PROGRESS

Railroad Activity Is Being Manifested in Sound Town.

(Special to the Times.)

Port Townsend, Wash., Nov. 13.—Port Townsend shows remarkable progress. Railroad activity is manifest for the first time since the American panic. A surveying camp of thirty members is working at Discovery bay. Furthermore extended condemnation proceedings have been started in the local courts by the Grays Harbor railway as a subsidiary of the Chicago & Milwaukee. Another innovation is the announcement of Port Townsend as a free delivery town, the post office business having increased to the 10,000 distributions required. It must be understood that the post office transacts a large government business which has not been counted owing to the free delivery feature. Business in general has increased to such an extent that the innovation will be inaugurated on March 1st, 1909.

PERSONATES LAWSON ON "FRIDAY THE THIRTEENTH"

Day Proves Unlucky for Flash New Yorker Who Is Arrested.

New York, Nov. 13.—An attempt to borrow money by representing himself as Thomas W. Lawson, the Boston financier, to-day (Friday the 13th) resulted in the arrest of a flashily dressed young man who described himself as Robert Carter, 22 years old, in the Hotel Breslin. He was taken into custody as he was leaving a telephone booth in the hotel after he had talked with friends of Mr. Lawson in Boston over the long distance wire.

The specific charge was violation of the hotel laws in ordering something for which he could not pay. He was unable to settle the charge of $250 for the use of the telephone wire.

"No wonder that fellow got in trouble," remarked somsone as he was being led away, "he should have known better than to have used the name of Lawson on "Friday the 13th." Lawson's hoodoo."

"FATHER OF OYSTER CULTURE."

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 13.—Dr. Wm. Keith Brooks, professor of Johns-Hopkins university, and since the foundation of that institution continually in its service, died yesterday after a prolonged illness. He was born at Cleveland, Ohio, sixty years ago. Dr. Brooks was distinguished as a biologist and was known as the "Father of Oyster Culture."

"APPLAUSE FOOLED US."

Comment of W. W. B. McInnes on Recent Contest for Vancouver Seat.

(Special to the Times.)

Vancouver, Nov. 13.—At a meeting of the senior Liberal Association T. F. Neelands was elected president and W. W. B. McInnes honorary president. Mr. McInnes delivered a speech and was cheered on rising. His first words were:

"I was just thinking that applause was one of the things that fooled us at the recent election."

JOCKEY SUSPENDED.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 13.—The stewards of the Emeryville race track took their first action of the holding the meet yesterday when they suspended jockey Schilling for his ride on Capt. Kennedy, second choice in the fifth race. Schilling had won three of the five races, everyone in which he was riding, and had earned the cheers of the track visitors, but he took it easy after he had the fifth practically won, and was beaten by a scant hose. The jockey confessed his fault and was set down.

CANADIAN BANKER GETS BARONETCY

TITLE FOR E. S. CLOUSTON IN BIRTHDAY HONORS

Gen. P. H. M. Lake and Hugh Graham Created Knights.

London, Nov. 13.—Among the birthday honors announced in connection with the King's birthday are the following of special interest to Canadians: E. S. Clouston of Montreal, baronetcy; General P. H. N. Lake, Ottawa, knight commander of St. Michael and St. George; Brig.-Gen. D. A. Macdonald of Ottawa, commander of St. Michael and St. George; Hugh Graham, Montreal, knight bachelor.

Sir Edward S. Clouston.

Sir Edward Seaborne Clouston, is the son of the late James S. Clouston, a chief factor of the Hudson's Bay Company, and was born at Moose Factory. He was educated at the high school, Montreal, and entered the service of the Bank of Montreal as a junior clerk, March 8th, 1865. After passing through the various grades of service he became assistant-general manager in 1887, acting general manager in 1889, and general manager of the bank in November, 1890, a position which he now holds. He is also vice-president of the institution. His business skill and tact were well displayed in the conference held between the bankers and the minister of finance, George E. Foster, in connection with the renewal of the bank charters under the act of 1890. To his efforts and those of Bryan E. Walker of the Bank of Commerce

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OUTLOOK IN B. C. IS OF BRIGHTEST

President of B. C. Electric Railway Speaks Optimistically.

(Special to the Times).

London, Nov. 13.—R. M. Horne Payne, president, speaking at a meeting of the B. C. Electric Railway Company, said there was not a single cloud in the outlook of British Columbia. Canada had emerged from a period of depression stronger than ever. He wishes the people of British Columbia to understand that the company is a partner with them in prosperity and adversity and that the profits of the partnership will be shared out fairly.

Hon. R. G. Tatlow, finance minister in the McBride cabinet, spoke optimistically of the position and prosperity of the country. "British Columbia," he said, "wanted people with money and also labor."

U. S. LUMBER MEN TO MAKE STRONG PROTEST

Removal of $2 Duty on Canadian Wood Will Demoralize Market.

(Special to the Times).

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 13.—R. L. McCormick, Pacific manager of the Weyerhauser Timber Company, John McMaster, representing the shinglemen, Victor H. Beckman, secretary of the Pacific Coast Lumber Manufacturers' Association, and several prominent lumber men of Oregon left last night for Washington, D. C., where they will appear before the congressional committees on ways and means on November 20th.

They will make a vigorous fight against the removal of the $2 duty on lumber from Canada. They declare if the duty is removed the lumber markets of the Pacific Northwest will be flooded with the Canadian product, thus demoralizing the market. They say the American lumbermen would be driven out of business.

VON BUELOW TO MEET EMPEROR

WILL DISCUSS CRISIS IN FOREIGN POLICIES

Kaiser to Be Told He Is Exceeding His Prerogative as a Monarch.

Berlin, Nov. 13.—Chancellor Von Buelow is to meet Emperor William at Kiel next Monday. If the chancellor and his sovereign are in agreement in the matter of future policies, and if the chancellor is to remain in office, the German people will at once be informed that his majesty accepts the spirit of the declaration made in the Reichstag by the chancellor last Tuesday. These statements were that neither Prince Von Buelow nor any succeeding chancellor could remain in office unless his majesty is more reserved in his utterances.

The chancellor will take with him to Kiel evidence of the feeling in the country regarding the emperor's "independent action" in matters of state. He will set forth first that the foreign affairs committee of the Bundesrath, or federal council, is firm in the opinion formulated at the meeting yesterday that it would be wiser for the emperor not to express views affecting the relations of the empire with other countries, except through his responsible ministers. Second, that the entire Reichstag assented to the declarations made by the speakers on Tuesday that the emperor had exceeded his constitutional prerogative in private discussion with foreigners concerning Germany's attitude on controverted questions; and third, that the feeling of the people at large on this matter was accurately indicated by the press of the country.

Practically all the leading journals of the empire have taken the position that the emperor must be more cautious in the future. The Cologne Zeitung, the most influential paper in the country, semi-official in foreign politics, but independent respecting internal affairs, says:



A. S. GOODEVE,
Elected yesterday in Kootenay.

"We have the right and the comprehensible desire to learn upon what the chancellor rests his conviction that the errors committed will not be repeated, whether or not he has spoken with the emperor and was empowered to give an explanation. The chancellor has not given an answer to this question, and we can only regret that the point has not been cleared up. Reassurance on this matter was the least that could be expected, even by those who do not desire strong measures of interference on charges of organization, but only seek proof of an enduring and practical change in habits heretofore indulged in.

"Perhaps the chancellor is not in a position to give such explaantion because owing to the absence of the emperor he has not been able to discuss the matter with him.

"We must speak plainly. It is incomprehensible that the emperor apparently regards what is happening in Berlin, as so unimportant that he does not interrupt his journeys, hunting parties and court festivities to retrun to the capital. A government on the tramp has for long been a bitter spectacle to the nation, and it was unnecessary that the present circumstances should again afford apparent proof of the inconveniences that the government suffers by the uninterrupted imperial journeyings."

Emperor William and the chancellor have exchanged views freely by telegraph, but there is excellent authority for the statement that nothing has been said on either side that would prevent Von Buelow from remaining as chancellor. Until they meet and talk over the situation, however, there will be doubt whether a satisfactory working understanding between them can be reached.

RAILWAY DEATH ROLL.

Washington, Nov. 13.—There were 2,794 persons killed and 68,989 injured in railroad accidents in the United States during the fiscal year ended June 30th last, according to the annual statement of the interstate commerce commission yesterday. This is a decrease of 1,236 killed and 3,297 injured, as compared with the previous year.

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—The monthly general meeting of the board of trade is being held this afternoon. Only one subject is up for discussion, that of the need for more dockage accommodation in Victoria, not only for present shipping, but with an eye to the future development of the port and of the increasing importance of Pacific shipping.

A. B. Fraser, jr., accompanied by Miss B. E. Fraser, his sister, arrived home last evening from a trip to the Old Country. He visited the Highlands of Scotland, Edinburgh, London and many other centres of interest, and spent a good deal of time looking up friends in his old city of Liverpool, spending a most enjoyable time. He returns much improved in health and looking extremely well.

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SS. CITY OF PUEBLA WAS IN COLLISION

Crashed Into Revenue Cutter Rush While on Her Way to Victoria.

(Special to the Times).

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 13.—In hurrying to get away from Seattle before Friday, November 13th, the steamship City of Puebla crashed into the United States revenue cutter Rush and damaged the government vessel to the extent of $500. The Puebla pulled away from her wharf about three minutes to twelve, bound for San Francisco, via Victoria, and about fifteen minutes later bumped into the Rush.

LOGGER'S TERRIBLE DEATH.

Stump Rolls Down Hill Crushing Life Out of James Lathuy.

(Special to the Times.)

Vancouver, Nov. 13.—The body of James Lathuy, a young logger, who was killed at Buller's camp, Taredo Channel on Wednesday, has been brought here. Lathuy was engaged with three others in getting out a huge stump on the Hillside and the mass began to roll down hill. Before he could get clear the stump knocked him over killing him instantanously, his back being broken. Foreman Buker, who was assisting his men, threw himself face down in a small hollow in the ground and thus escaped death, although he was so badly injured he may die.

JAP PRISONER SUICIDES.

(Special to the Times).

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 13.—About 6:13 this morning the dead body of T. Saki, a Japanese, charged with burglary, was found dangling from the end of a leather trunk strap in a cell in the city jail.

ENLARGED PREMISES.

Huxtable Bros. Have Prepared For Carrying Additional Stock.

Huxtable Bros., stationers and booksellers, Government street, having now doubled the size of their store, have been enabled to enlarge their stock in all departments, and for the Christmas trade propose showing new lines of Christmas and New Year novelties, which are shortly to arrive. The increased size of the well known stationery store is due to the fact of the owners having taken over the premises of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, which have been added to the original store. The firm have added some $400 worth of fixtures to carry the stock now on hand which before the additions was not displayed as advantageously as is now the case. The store will be further enlarged towards the rear at an early date to carry a full line of Christmas goods, and at the commencement of the New Year balcony railing is to be added inside the store for the purpose of enlarging the lending library which now numbers several thousand volumes. These will be added to with copies of all the latest fiction and other works that are in public demand. The stock is being doubled in all departments to warrant the increase of trade arising from the enlargement of the premises.

Huxtable Bros. have been in their present store for the past three years, and in the city for just twenty years. During the time they have been in business they have enjoyed a full measure of the public patronage.

ANOTHER CHARGE.

Barney Martin Now in Jail is Called on Second Offense.

Barney Martin, whose term of imprisonment for breaking into a railway car, expires on December 18th, was arraigned before Judge Lampman this morning for trial on another charge, that of receiving and having in his possession on January 18th last, three dozen bottles of John Hennessy & Sons "Three Star" brandy, knowing them to have been stolen. In police court at the time of his arrest he chose a jury trial but since then he changed his mind and decided to take a speedy trial before the county court judge.

H. D. Helmcken, K. C., appeared for the crown and J. A. Aikman defended the prisoner.

Mr. Helmcken applied for a postponement of the case as the crown's chief witness was ill, and Mr. Aikman made no objection so long as the trial took place before his client's present term expired.

The case was postponed until Friday, Nov. 27th at 10:30.

MANY HOUSES BEING BUILT

ACTIVITY SHOWN IN RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY

Permits Issued During Past Few Days Aggregate About $33,000.

In the last three days building permits have been issued which represent new property aggregating in value over $33,000. Almost the whole of these permits are for new dwellings.

Yesterday afternoon a permit was granted to George Calder, contractor, for a residence for C. Frank Hawkins, an English gentleman who is coming out here with his family to reside. He intends building on Foul Bay road, on a lot just beyond F. B. Pemberton's residence, and is having put up an $8,000 residence. It will be of frame on a stone basement, a story and a half high, and containing eleven rooms. There will be a great deal of wood finish in British Columbia fir and other woods in the interior, and the house will be thoroughly up-to-date in every way.

Other permits issued during the last few days were: A. M. Muir, dwelling, Pandora avenue, $4,400; W. J. Hanna, three dwellings, one on Yates street costing $3,500, another on the same street costing $2,500, and the third on Vancouver street costing $1,800; John Lefebore, a pair of houses costing $1,500 each, one on Toronto street and the other on Simcoe street; Isaac E. Mark, dwelling, Bank street, $1,700; Mrs. R. McIntosh, dwelling, Third street, $1,500; W. A. Mitchell, dwelling, Washington street, $1,800; A. L. Chatton, dwelling, Gorge and Garbally road, $1,200; James Cummins, dwelling, Blackwood street, $520; Henry Sechenbaum, conservatory addition to his dwelling on Catherine street, $200; A. R. Anderson, dwelling, Topaz avenue, $600; Andrew H. Mitchell, dwelling, Fernwood road, $2,200.

OIL WAREHOUSE GUTTED; LOSS $100,000

(Special to the Times).

Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 13.—At 1 o'clock this afternoon the big oil warehouse of the oil company on Notre Dame avenue, at the outskirts of the city, brust into flames, and is now burning fiercely.

The plant and warehouse will be a total loss, with damage amounting to $100,000.

DISPUTE OVER SEIZURE.

Ownership of Furniture Gives Rise to Complications in Court.

A curious situation is disclosed in an application made this morning in Chambers before Judge Lampman in the judgment summons case of Potter vs. Stetson. An execution was put in by Sheriff Richards ten days ago on the furniture and stock in the Ship hotel, Esquimalt, to satisfy the judgment against Frederick Stetson, former proprietor of the house. Mrs. Stetson claims the whole property is hers, and has been for three years, and the license has been in her name for that time. She resists the seizure.

H. C. Keefer, for the sheriff, made application for a trial of the issue as to who is the owner of the property.

George A. Morphy, for the judgment creditor, asked that the claimant of the property be ordered to furnish security that the goods will not be interfered with, but W. H. Langley, for Mrs. Stetson, held that this would be an injustice. Here was a case of a person's property being seized for the debt of another and they being asked to put up security!

The court, while inclining to agree with Mr. Langley, reserved a decision, but ordered trial of the issue on Wednesday next if the parties are ready.

MAIL ROBBERY CHARGE.

Hamilton, Ont., Nov. 13.—Robert Gimlett, transfer driver, was committed for trial to-day on a charge of robbing the mails.

SECTION MAN KILLED.

Tecumseh, Ont., Nov. 13.—F. Hennin, a section man, was struck and instantly killed this morning by a Wabash passenger train.

MINERS CONTINUE WORK.

Operations Will Be Carried On In Black Hill District During Winter.

Arrivals from the Black Hills district report that many men will be operating there this winter, says the Dawson News. One man left a few days ago to work on 160 below. This is many miles below the center of the present paying district, but old timers and those who have been prospecting on the creek of late would not be surprised to see the pay located near the mouth of the stream.

The Black Hills road was recently completed, and is reported in fair condition, but the portion built last year contains they say, a number of muddy places.

A number of the Henderson creek people now come to Dawson by way of Black Hills. They ascend Sixty pup at the head of Henderson, and this takes them to the summit of the divide which lies between Black Hills and Henderson.

AS WE ALL KNOW.

Spector—Your new house doesn't look much like the architect's original design.

Victim—No, but it looks more like it than the cost looks like his original estimate.—The Smart Set.

THRILLING STORIES OF INDIAN DISASTER

Horrors of Terrible Flood in Hyedrabad—Heroic Lady Doctors.

Few catastrophies of modern times have equalled in magnitude and horror the recent flood calamity at Ryderabad, the Nizam's capital of the Indian state of that name, which occurred on Sept. 28th, and detailed accounts of which were received in England from eye-witnesses.

One correspondent says—"Dawn broke with the river in great flood and rising, and the rain falling pitilessly. Suddenly, at 7 a. m., an enormous wall of water was seen advancing swiftly down the river, reminding one of the "bores," on the Hoogli and Irrawaddy. The impact was first felt on the southern side of the wall protecting the western portion of the city.

"Fifteen feet of water hurled itself into a neighborhood half a mile in breadth, and did not finish its merciless progress until it had washed out an enormous area of closely packed native huts and houses, either drowning the inhabitants or smothering them in the debris.

"Almost simultaneously the current struck the north part of the Afzal Gunj Bridge, which crumbled under the stress. Everything collapsed before the force of the water, which rushed on its furious course until it had brought down, like packs of cards, well-built palaces, houses, shops, schools, temples, mosques, and huts.

"I had news about the disaster, about two hours after it occurred, and set out for the scene. My way lay through flood water which came well up the saddle of my horse. Where a few days ago I had seen a hurrying, bustling, flourishing town there was nothing but wreck and ruin, dead and dying men, women, and children, horses and cattle, uprooted trees, broken and battered furniture, tons on tons of debris, and shivering, screaming crowds of homeless, griefstricken people gazing paralyzed at the scene.

"Men had fastened themselves to trees and been drowned so fastened. Women were hanging by their hair to other trees. Bodies were seen on the roofs of low, solidly-built houses. Young babies floated by my horse, and under the vast expanse of debris heaped above the deep flood water were, of course, thousands of poor wretches who were unable to get away from the rush of water."

Magnificent Pluck.

Perhaps the most heroic incident of the calamity was the self-sacrificing bravery of the lady doctors and nurses of the Victoria Zenana Hospital. With no male aid at all they carried their patients to the roof-top, and, having done all they could for their comfort, busied themselves in rescuing such of the half-drowned people as were carried on the flood within their reach. Silently they waited for twenty-four hours on the roof while bodies were being thrown against the walls, the water ere this having reached two feet from the parapet. Eventually patients and all were rescued from their perilous position.

Rev. E. T. Leslie, M.A., writing from Secunderabad to the Wesleyan Methodist Missionary Society, says:

"I do not think words can describe the heartrending scenes in Chudderghat and Hyderabad city. Houses fell with a crash headlong, like mud compound walls during heavy rains, and the ruin was more complete than that of children's toy blocks in a nursery.

"One man counted one hundred bodies that he had seen in this part of Chudderghat.

"The number of those buried underneath the ruins will not be known till the piles of wreckage have been cleared away, and perhaps not even then. The stench of corpses of human beings, elephants, horses, cattle, and domestic animals can be better imagined than described.

"The Grain Market was flooded, and the only signs of its existence are to open walls and barred doorways, which unfortunately fail to bar out the stench of the rotten grain within. Carts are at work all day removing debris from the ruins and the corpses of animals and human beings.

"It is almost inconceivable to think that the thick solid stone city walls, with loop-holed battlements and strong bastions, could be swept away like toy castles of little children on the sea beach. We found two old cannon amongst the debris of one house. In all probability they were carried away bodily from the bastions when the walls were washed away, for we found large blocks of wall stone carried away a considerable distance from the walls."

BEST MAN WAS TOO OLD.

Newark Bride Refused to Go on With Wedding.

Some brides have balked at the altar because of the extreme youth or tottering infirmity of the prospective groom; but who ever heard of a wedding called off because of the old age of the groomsman?

That is what has happened in Newark, N. Y., and while the weeping maid has returned to her parents, her prospective husband has steamed away aboard a United States armored cruiser to forget his woes on foreign seas.

The participants in this unique affair are Miss Amelia Wright, aged 21, a pretty young woman; Thomas Cunningham, 25, a man-of-warsman aboard the U. S. S. Dubuque, now bound for the Caribbean, and Charles P. Phillips, more than 50, and proprietor of the Rock Island hotel, Newark. News of the strange ending of the wedding, to which a company of guests had been invited, as just leaked out.

Cunningham, who was stationed at the time at the Brooklyn navy yard, had secured a leave of absence for the happy event. Everything was arranged and the minister had been summoned. When the bride appeared she was told that Mr. Phillips would officiate as best man. Instantly she balked, declaring that he was too old to officiate in such a capacity. No amount of argument would swerve the young woman's determination, and reluctantly Cunningham was forced to call off the wedding.

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WANTED—Small cottage, rent not to exceed $14 per month. Apply Box 345, Daily Times.

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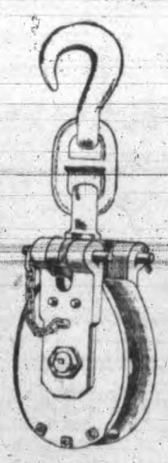
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SIMON FRASER EXHIBIT TO CLOSE THIS WEEK

It Will Be Kept on Display for Only Another Day.

The Simon Fraser exhibit, which has been on view at the city hall since the beginning of last week and was continued by request, will close to-morrow night at 10 o'clock, after which the chance of viewing the splendid exhibition of pictures connected with the pioneer days of the province will be withdrawn. Those who have not yet seen the exhibit have now a last opportunity to do so to-night and to-morrow. During the week there have been a very large number taking advantage of the opportunity to inspect the collection got together by the provincial archivist, Mr. Gosnell.

The collection covers the ground of the early history of British Columbia very thoroughly, containing the pictures of the early pioneers connected with the history of the province and the Hudson's Bay Company. A particularly fine portrait of Simon Fraser centres the Hudson's Bay group, while in another group is the portrait of Hon. J. S. Helmcken, first speaker of the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia.

Another exhibit is that lent by Curtis, the well-known photographer of Seattle. The collection comprises part of the famous Curtis Indian group, and has some striking pictures of Indian life.

The collection fills the council chamber in the city hall, and the photos and other exhibits are properly labelled so as to be self-explanatory. The arrangement of the display is so carried out that different sections or different periods of the history of the province are represented by the various groups.

Fortunately there have been recovered pictures of many of the men who played an important part in the history of the province, and these will be preserved, forming the basis of a collection which will be of increasing interest as time goes on. In many cases the pictures displayed are enlarged from small originals collected from the various holders of them.

Several hours can be spent with benefit by any one interested in the history of the province among the pictures and exhibits now occupying the council chamber. No one should omit to visit it before the week ends, and the collection is removed.

GIRL MYSTERIOUSLY DISAPPEARS IN 'FRISCO

Efforts of Detectives to Find Edna Clarke Prove Futile.

San Francisco is greatly agitated in consequence of the mysterious disappearance of a beautiful young girl, named Edna Clarke. The young lady left her mother's home in Berkeley three weeks ago to pursue her studies in San Francisco. She was seen on the ferryboat in company with a clerical-looking man who engaged her in deep conversation. Later in the day she appeared at the wicket of a bank where there is a large sum of money to her credit and drew $200. She next visited the Southern Pacific railway office where she bought a first-class ticket for a town in Ohio, where an uncle of her's resides. Since then she has not been seen.

All the detectives are at work on the case and large rewards are offered by her distracted mother.

It was supposed at first that the girl had become a convert to the Catholic religion and had entered a convent, but the most rigid inquiry of the church authorities show that such is not the fact.

Within the last few days a strange discovery was made. There is at San Francisco a high Episcopal church known as the Church of St. Mary the Virgin. In front of that church on Monday there was picked up the stub of a Southern Pacific railway ticket. The number of the stub is the same as the number on the ticket which the girl purchased. Suspicion is now directed towards the rector, Rev. Payson Young, who quite recently joined the church, having gone to the parish from Oregon where he was divorced from his wife.

A so-called clergyman, known as Vincent, with several aliases, and a bad record, is also suspected of knowing more than he should of the girl's whereabouts. Vincent was last heard of at Vancouver.

The picture of the girl as published shows that she is strikingly handsome. Her family are of the highest respectability.

The case seems to be almost on a level with that of Charlie Ross, who was stolen in Philadelphia in 1874 and in spite of a search which extended over two continents, and rewards that aggregated $1,000,000 was never afterwards heard of.

NEW RAILWAY SEEKS POWERS TO BUILD

Application Will Be Made at Next Sitting of Legislature —Gazette Notices.

The Provincial Gazette this week contains notice of the following appointments:

Wm. W. Foster to be police magistrate for the city of Revelstoke.

Peter Ronald McDonald, of Rossland, to be a justice of the peace in and for the province of British Columbia.

Edward Harry Bridgman, of the city of Vancouver, to be a notary public in and for the province of British Columbia.

Notice is given in the Gazette that at the next session of the legislature application will be made by Harvey, McCarter & Macdonald, acting for the applicants, for an act to incorporate a company with power to build, construct, maintain and operate a line of railway of standard gauge to be operated by steam, electricity, or any other power for the carrying of freight, passengers and express: Commencing at a point on the Eastern British Columbia railway, at or near the town of Corbin; thence in a southerly direction following the east fork of the south fork of Michel Creek to the summit between that creek and a tributary of the Flathead River; thence in a southerly direction down said tributary to the Flathead River; thence southerly along said Flathead River, or by the most convenient route, to a point on the international boundary between the province of British Columbia and the United States of America, a distance of forty miles, more or less, with power to construct and operate telegraph and telephone lines for the purpose of its business and for the public, with power to own, use and operate water powers convenient to the road for railway and other purposes, and with such other powers and privileges which are usually given to railway companies.

D. Murphy gives notice he will apply for an act to consolidate the leaseholds, real estate placer claims, record placer mining claims and other mining property now held by John Hopp on Lowhee Creek, Stout's Gulch, Williams Creek, Mosquito Creek, Red Gluch, Slough Creek, New Creek, Conklins Gulch and Willow River, Cariboo district, B. C., into one holding, and that said hereditaments, howsoever held, may be converted into an estate of freehold or of such lesser estate, and for such consideration or rent as the legislature may think proper, and that the title of the applicant to the lands, leases, placer mining property, water rights, property privileges and easements already acquired in the Cariboo district aforesaid be confirmed, and authorizing the grant in fee or for such lesser estate as to the legislature shall seem proper to the applicant of the said hereditaments.

The following companies have been incorporated:

Badmington Association of North Vancouver under the Industrial Communities Act.

Brooks - Scanlon - O'Brien Company, with a capital of $500,000, to engage in the lumber business.

Burnaby Lands Company, capitalized at $50,000.

Lum Wo Association, of New Westminster, incorporated under the Benevolent Societies Act.

Pitt Lake Brick & Cement Company, capitalized at $100,000.

Prince Rupert Construction Company, with a capital stock of $25,000.

Victoria Boat & Engine Company, with a capital stock of $10,000, to acquire and take over the business of Wm. D. Buck yacht and boat builder, in this city.

—An accident occurred at the junction of Fort and Government streets yesterday afternoon just after four o'clock which might have easily proved very serious. The big freight car was stopped just at the corner waiting to turn on to Government street, and a Beacon Hill car was also coming from the direction of James Bay. A Victoria Phoenix brewery wagon was passing between the two when the horse shied at the freight car and dashed into the other car, which failed to stop when the horse approached. The shafts of the wagon were broken off and the horse knocked over. Fortunately the impact was not strong enough to wound the horse. The driver also escaped unhurt.

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M'NOWN HAS BEEN COMMITTED FOR TRIAL

Accused Reserves His Defence and Will Apply for Bail.

Robert N. McNown was arraigned in the police court yesterday afternoon on a charge of having received cash and goods to the value of $12.50 from R. Kawai, Douglas street, by false pretences, by means of a cheque payable to "George Lewis," and drawn by "D. W. Spencer & Co." He was also arraigned on a charge laid of obtaining $24.40 from J. M. Nagano at his Douglas street branch.

R. C. Lowe appeared for him and pleaded not guilty.

Mr. Kawai told the court of McNown's visit to his store on Saturday evening last, and of wishing to purchase a wedding gift. He took a silk waist and a purse and tendered a cheque. Witness was later worried about the "W" in the signature to the cheque, and went to the Spencer store about it. In consequence of what he heard he laid a complaint at the police station.

Alexander Simpson, proprietor of the Half Way house, Esquimalt road, identified the prisoner as a man who had got him to cash a cheque on Monday afternoon. He gave the accused the full amount of $28.40, and passed the cheque on to the Phoenix brewery.

Waso Nagana testified on the second charge that McNown on Saturday afternoon purchased a china tea-set for $8.25 and presented a cheque for $24.40 in payment. He was given $16.15 change. He saw in the paper about the Kawai case and took no steps to find out if the cheque was good.

Sergeant Redgrave said he had arrested accused on the steamer Whatcom as he was about to leave for Seattle.

The accused reserved his defence and was committed for trial on both charges, as was mentioned in yesterday's paper.

Bail will be applied for as soon as may be done from a supreme court judge.



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THE RESULT IN GENERAL.

The Times is disappointed, but not frankly speaking, greatly surprised at the results of the elections held yesterday in the constituencies of Yale-Cariboo and Kootenay. It was quite apparent from the vote in the coast constituencies of the province that the majority of the electors had made up their minds to give emphatic expression to their views upon the question of Asiatic exclusion. The imaginations of the people had been inflamed in the first instance by the great influx of Japanese under the notorious Gotoh contract, drawn up by a member of the McBride government. Notwithstanding the circumstances of that incursion, other members of the government primarily responsible for it did not hesitate to fan the flames and keep them blazing for their own political purposes. The Laurier government, although it has been generally condemned in the province, stemmed that invasion and settled the general question of Asiatic immigration in a manner stamped as statesmanlike and satisfactory by national and Imperial authorities. It could not have been disposed of in any other manner without imperilling the cordial relations between Japan and Great Britain and sacrificing at the same time the commercial interests of Canada, and particularly the commercial future of British Columbia.

But, unfortunately, the majority of the people of British Columbia are in no mood at present to consider the matter calmly and dispassionately. They have been stirred up by demagogues who would have been better employed in discharging the duties entrusted to their care by the electors of the province. When the forces of passion and unreason set in motion by Premier McBride and his political comrades in arms have subsided and sane judgment once more assumes its sway, we are convinced some one will be held to account for recent occurrences. When the public realize that practically all the time of the provincial ministers is employed in junketing through the country at their expense for the purpose of stirring up strife against other provinces of Canada, in setting forces in motion which may ultimately have the effect of imperiling the great Canadian confederation, all for the purpose of promoting the ambitions of a man possessing no other qualifications for leadership than vaulting, overweening ambition and a certain capacity for organization, no one will envy that individual when the day of reckoning comes.

In the meantime we believe the electors of British Columbia on the coast and in the interior have made a grave error of judgment. We think the Laurier government and the candidates of that government on the records were deserving of the confidence of the public. British Columbia was in a state of industrial and commercial lethargy until the present government stimulated the latent life in her by the construction of necessary railways and by other processes of encouragement. The government lives, however, and will continue to do its duty by the province notwithstanding the general verdict of condemnation. By the end of the term of the present parliament the fires of incendiarism kindled by Hon. Richard McBride will be as dead as his political future ought to be if the people of British Columbia are capable of distinguishing between true patriotism and mere demagoguery.

FRIENDS AND ENEMIES OF VICTORIA.

We are told on authority which cannot be questioned that there is a place specially prepared for a certain class of offenders. Readers of the Times, who are also, we doubt not, diligent searchers of the Scriptures, will remember the inspired, wrathful denunciation, "Woe unto you, scribes, Pharisees, hypocrites!" or words to that effect. These references will be understood on consultation of a passage which appears in the Colonist this morning, penned by the hand of a past master in the art of misrepresentation, nay we believe we would be justified in saying, by the hand of a liar of the first magnitude. The passage in question reads as follows: "The Acadian Recorder hopes that the government will forgive Halifax for electing Mr. Borden. In this respect it is a little more charitable than the Victoria Times, which hopes the government will hit this city, and hit it hard." It is not necessary to point out that the Times did not express a hope that the Dominion government would hit this city, and hit it hard. The misrepresentation is on a parity with the conduct of our contemporary throughout the late political campaign. It simply goes to prove a proposition which requires no demonstration to the people of Victoria—that neither in the discussion of political affairs nor in the discussion of anything vitally affecting the city can the Colonist be relied upon to tell the truth when its natural inclination, reinforced by other influences now well understood, is to pervert the truth.

The Times said, discussing the result of the election here, that the natural deduction therefrom, judging by the treatment Premier McBride, who was the principal force opposed to Mr. Templeman, had meted out to the city he represented in the Legislature, was that in order to win the favor of Victoria the thing to do was to hit the city, and hit it hard. Is that not a perfectly logical deduction? But we did not approve of the proposition; in fact we have consistently condemned the course of our provincial representative in his favorite political pastime of hitting Victoria, and hitting her hard. Premer McBride has said more than once upon the platform that "Templeman has done nothing for Victoria." We asked in reply to this condemnatory statement what Premier McBride has ever done for Victoria or what had he ever proposed to do for Victoria that he should have the face to sit in the chair of condemnation. We put the question again, and shall continue to put it, just as we shall continue to call to public remembrance the falsehoods which appeared in the columns of the Colonist during the late election campaign. The proposition, we admit, is not worthy of a place in controversy between statesmen in the discussion of public questions. The issue is a petty one, and would not be raised by anyone except a public man of narrow views and provincial aspirations. But the ground is not of our selection. It was chosen by Premier McBride. Consequently, we ask the Premier's worthy champion to point out what he has done for Victoria that he should sit in judgment upon his neighbor? Has he not only denied Victoria her natural rights, but has he not also disestablished here and established in other places institutions which should properly be maintained at the capital of the province? Is there another provincial capital in the Dominion of Canada which is not the educational centre o fthe province? Not only has the McBride government established the first Normal School in another city; the Minister of Education in that government has publicly stated that when another Normal School is established it will not be located in Victoria. Mr. Bowser, another dear friend of Victoria, also a distinguished member of the McBride government, has intimated that the provincial university, for which a magnificent endowment of public property has been set aside, will not be established in the natural educational centre of the province, the capital of British Columbia. The latter gentleman has also practically secured for the city he represents the advantage of being the legal centre of the province, and to that extent has stripped Victoria of a rightful possession. These are concrete examples of the manner in which "McBride does things for Victoria." And they are not the only examples which might be cited. There are others. They will be dealt with as occasion demands. But we have said sufficient to establish our contention, which is that if Premier McBride has succeeded in establishing himself in the political good graces of Victoria, the people of Victoria are singular and unique in these days of strenuous civic ambition.

Of one thing the people of Victoria may rest assured. Although they have rejected representation in the Laurier government of Canada, a government which is admitted by critics in other lands to be led by the only colonial statesman of Imperial intellect and qualifications; although they have turned their backs, at the dictation of an insignificent majority, upon the member of that government who is admitted to have rendered the city greater service in two years than all former representatives have accomplished since confederation, the government and the Minister realise that the aberration is but temporary—that it is due chiefly to a misunderstanding upon the question of Asiatic exclusion which a very short time will permanently remove. Therefore we think we are justified in saying that the Laurier government will not follow the example of the McBride government in its treatment of Victoria. It will not chastise Victoria with whips, as McBride has chastised her with scorpions. Although nominally Mr. Barnard may be our representative in Parliament, our actual representative will be closer to the government than that; and there will be no abatement of the work which has progressed so satisfactorily for the past two or three years.

JOURNALISM AND KNIGHTHOOD—WITH A SUGGESTION.

The honor of knighthood has been conferred upon Mr. Hugh Graham of the Montreal Star. We believe this is the first time any Canadian member of the Fourth Estate has been so honored by his Sovereign. Doubtless the recipient is worthy of the recognition he has received for distinguished services rendered Canada and the Empire through his influential newspaper. But we are fearful of the consequences of the precedent thus established. A pretty state of affairs it would be should editors of leading, or misleading, Canadian newspapers, enter into competition with mere ordinary politicians and others of the common herd for the privilege of appending "Sir" to their names, wearing silk breeches, dangling dress swords from their waistbands, or carrying lances under their arms. We have a "hunch" that the editor of an esteemed contemporary whose name need not be mentioned will now be exceedingly active in pursuit of higher things than vulgar government offices. Having announced that if the conduct of a recent political campaign had been in his hands instead of the feeble hands of Mr. Borden the result would have been different, in fact a Conservative triumph assured, it is evident this individual of outstanding abilities will demand something higher than the ordinary honors conferred upon common men. Nothing lower than a barony (if that be the correct word) would comport with the grandeur of his talents and the towering character of his ambitions (ambitions which, alas! perverse fate has hitherto obstinately blocked). And now that at last time appears to have prepared a way, might we be permitted to suggest that the title of Baron Munchausen —— of Labrador would harmonize absolutely and completely with the character and the achievements of this shining light of the Canadian journalistic world.

If the leader of Liberalism in British Columbia is to be charged with responsibility for the defeat of five Liberal candidates in the province, he must also be given credit for having secured the election on a former occasion of seven Liberal candidates in a province where it was customary for a Liberal candidate to lose his deposit whenever he had the hardihood to oppose a Conservative. That, we submit, is a reasonable proposition. However, whatever the condition may be to-day, the leaven of Liberalism is still working in British Columbia. The present conditions are due to influences which cannot be lasting, because they are founded upon inflammatory appeals to unreason and prejudice. The public man who resorts to such desperate measures for the purpose of gaining notoriety invariably finds that he pays a high price for ephemeral popularity.

AN AMERICAN COMMENT.

(Philadelphia Inquirer.)

The Liberals, who, with Sir Wilfrid Laurier at their head, have just received a fresh lease of power, have controlled the Dominion government since 1896, and during that period the national development has proceeded by leaps and bounds. No such advances has been made in any other twelve years of Canadian history. A very great advance has taken place in the public revenues, and while the expenditures have naturally not been standing still, they are proportionately less burdensome than they were at the end of 18 years of Conservative ascendancy.

BALKAN QUESTION.

(London Times.)

The following project for the dismemberment of European Turkey is circulated on the continent: France to have Albania, Greece the Morea and the islands; Russia to retain its conquests in Moldavia and Bessarabia; Austria (in the event of her acceding to the confederacy) to receive Bosnia, Servia and Macedonia, Austria ceding to France the Lithorage; the provinces of Wallachia, Bulgaria and Rumania to be erected into a separate kingdom for the Grand Duke Constantine with the title of King of Thrace, Constantinople to be his capital.

WHISKERS DISEASE CARRIERS.

(Washington Post.)

The beard of the physician, that silky bluff of dignity and wisdom, is doomed if the health commissioner of Topeka has his way about it. He asserts that the flowing whiskers of the family doctor are death conveying germ carriers and that modern hygiene requires physicians to be smooth shaven of chin, jowl and head. The young doctor who clings to the superstition that hair on the face conceals inexperience and inspires confidence may as well take notice.

LEFT AT HOME.

(Hamilton Times.)

Some time-wasters who will not torture the new parliament and pile up useless expenses:

W. H. Bennett.
W. F. Cockshutt.
George W. Fowler.
A. A. Lefurgey.
J. H. Bergeron.
R. A. Pringle.
G. W. Ganong.
C. C. Ahorn.

SASKATCHEWAN'S PROGRESS.

(Hamilton Times.)

An idea of the progress of Saskatchewan in the last ten years may be gathered from the increase of its cereal growth. In 1898 it produced 4,780,440 bushels of wheat; this year its crop of wheat is estimated at 43,539,608 bushels. In 1898 it produced 1,589,412 bushels of oats; this year its oat crop is estimated at 41,663,065.

ANOTHER WARNING.

(Toronto News.)

The downfall of one more bank official, through stock speculation, affords another warning to all men occurity market game is a hazardous cupying positions of trust. The seone.

BAD YEAR FOR B'S.

(Toronto News.)

Borden and Bryan; it is a bad year for B's.

HOW CALIFORNIA DID IT

The California Fruit Growers' Association, working in conjunction with the Union Pacific Railway, determined upon a publicity campaign to get people to buy oranges. The fruit growers wanted an enlarged market and the railroad wanted a long haul to market, so together they bought newspaper space to tell Iowans of California oranges. The first shipment of oranges comprised a full train and the fruit found a ready market. A second train of twenty-five cars brought more than the market price. Iowans this year increased their consumption of oranges by 70 per cent. over any year preceding. The people were satisfied with its returns from the freight charges, and the growers were well pleased with the prices which the fruit brought. All three got their money's worth and the railroad and the association have their principal expended in advertising back in their pockets and along with it the reward of enterprise.

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Does advertising pay? No practical man of affairs presumes any longer even to consider the question one of a debatable nature.—Racine (Wisconsin) Times.

What Other People Think

THE COLONIST—AN APPRECIATION.

To the Editor:—The Colonist to-day in referring to the Times has the audacity to say: "That amiable sheet has been issued fourteen times since the day the voters were polled, and it is still railing away at the Colonist. As time goes on it is becoming more and more untruthful. It is trying not to answer the arguments advanced by the Colonist during the contest, and to facilitate matters it begins by mis-stating them. It knows that the Colonist will not take the trouble to expose its mendacity."

Thus does your esteemed contemporary still go on trying to throw dust in the eyes of the reading public. Some of us (more in number probably than the editor of the Colonist is aware) have not forgotten, nor are likely to forget, what cannot be called less than scandalous misrepresentations made on the eve of the election by that paper in its effort to obtain voters for Mr. Barnard. To go no further, it is more than enough to recall the hideous cartoon of many cargoes of Japanese coolies landing simultaneously at the outer wharf. I venture to say that when that "amiable sheet," the Colonist, has been issued, not another "fourteen days" only, but, say, "fourteen months," its political statements and prophecies of the latter half of October, 1908, will bear still less the light of day than they do to-day. I hesitate writing, as we can all, I hope, make allowance for partizanship and high feeling at these times, but when it comes to a continuance of effrontery such as we are now being treated to from a certain quarter, I must utter my protest, and say halt. I hope you will continue in the work of keeping to facts and standing for the truth as in times past. I can the more sympathize, as I can subscribe myself, being influenced to a certain extent by the columns of the Colonist last month, as one who was

NEARLY TAKEN IN.

Victoria, Nov. 13th, 1908.

CHURCH SIGNS MUST GO.

Toronto Central Presbyterian Church Enters an Objection, but it is Not Upheld.

The Toronto police campaign against church signboards on the street corners was the cause of a letter being sent to the board of control by James S. Anderson, secretary of the board of managers of Central Presbyterian church. He complained that the sign which had done duty at the corner of Yonge and Grosvenor streets for twenty years without objection had been ordered to be removed, and the minister of the church had been summoned to appear at the police court on a charge of obstructing Grosvenor street, notwithstanding that the caretaker had promised a policeman that the proper church authorities would be notified of the order. The church authorities requested the board to consider the question of exempting the church signs from the provisions of the by-law under which the action of the police is taken.

"Well, gentlemen, what are you going to do about it?" the mayor asked.

Controller Harrison suggested that the church signboards in the outskirts of the city be allowed to remain, but the mayor said if any were to be cut off all should be cut off.

"I'm not going to move in the matter," said Controller Hocken.

Controller Spence asked where the line would be drawn if some signboards were to be allowed in the streets and others not allowed.

"Then the by-law remains?" the mayor asked, and the controllers silently gave assent.

STEWART RIVER COUNTRY RICH.

Former Gold Commissioner Ogilvie Predicts It Will Rival the Klondike.

That all the wealth taken out of the Klondike will look small in comparison to the amount of gold yet to be extracted from the mountainous Stewart river country is the prophecy made by Wm. Ogilvie, formerly gold commissioner for the Yukon, who is president and general manager of the Yukon Basin Gold Dredging Co.

Mr. Ogilvie, who has just returned to Vancouver from the north, states that the more he sees of the Stewart river country, where his company has commenced dredging operations, the more firmly convinced he becomes of the remarkable wealth of that district which is much larger in area than one could judge by surveying the map. Many a prospector, he said, after hitting nothing in the Klondike in the summer, hies himself to this region in the fall and picks off enough from the benches to grubstake him for the winter. He cited instances of miners cleaning up many thousands of dollars in a short period with the most crude implements.

The first dredge built and operated in one season on the Stewart river was built this summer by Mr. Ogilvie's company, about a month's work with the dredge giving very satisfactory results. New dredges will be built each year, the company estimating that it will take forty dredges thirty years to clean up the ground.

Though a few nuggets were picked up by the dredge this year, fine alluvial gold is the rule.

In Guiana if a child is slow in its movements the parents apply an ant to the child instead of a whip to make it move faster. This little ant bites more cruelly than a mosquito, and its bite is apt to be troublesome afterward.

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Men's Striped Wool Underwear, 75c

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—The new addition to the St. Joseph's hospital is practically furnished and open for occupation. A few of the private wards are already in use.

—St. Andrew's lodge, No. 49, A. F. and A. M., will meet this evening at 8 o'clock in the Masonic hall, Douglas street. A full attendance is requested.

The regular monthly meeting of the Victoria Builders' Exchange was held on Wednesday evening last in the office of the secretary, J. R. Smart. There was a large attendance and considerable business of importance was discussed.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Barnabas church will hold a bazaar on Wednesday and Thursday, November 25th and 26th in the schoolroom of the church. The object is to secure funds which are needed for certain parochial purposes. Donations will be received at the rectory, No. 1112 Caledonia avenue.

—The first meeting of the Imperial Service Club in their own rooms, 1122 Government street, will be held this evening at 8 o'clock sharp to receive the report of the committee appointed to draw up the constitution and by-laws. Although the rooms are not yet ready for occupation temporary arrangements will be made for the meeting to-night.

—All those who are interested in the formation of a strong Y. M. C. A. orchestra are requested to attend a meeting which will be held to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock in the rooms, Broad street. A volunteer orchestra has been utilized up to the present time but it is now intended to place this organization on a permanent basis.

—At the assizes held in Vernon last week Mrs. Jessie Blackwood was acquitted of the charge of stealing from the home of Judge Spinks. Mrs. Blackwood, it will be remembered, was arrested in Victoria on the charge and taken back to Vernon. Mrs. Blackwood pleaded not guilty to the charge. The jury, after hearing the evidence, brought in a verdict of not guilty and the prisoner was discharged.

—To celebrate Christmas Eve the employees of the Empress have decided to hold a fancy dress ball and Christmas tree, and to insure the success of the event a meeting will be held in the grill room of the Empress hotel to-morrow night at 9 o'clock, when a committee of management will be selected. The meeting is to be held in the grill room through the courtesy of the manager, Mr. Humble.

—The St. Agnes Guild will hold a bazaar at St. Mark's church on Tuesday afternoon and evening, November 24th. The committee in charge of the affair is sparing no effort in making this event a success. Bishop Perrin will open the bazaar in the afternoon. A good programme has been prepared for the concert to be given in the evening. Refreshments will be served.

—Francis Kermode, curator of the provincial museum, arrived in the city on the steamer Camosun. He returned without the specimen of caribou which he expected to get. The fact of the matter was he never got to the hunting grounds at all. He went north on the Princess May expecting to connect but the Vadso did not wait for her, so there was no means of getting to his destination. He could not get a sloop, so he returned home without his game, much to his disappointment.

—Painful injuries were sustained by James Cummins, line foreman of the B. C. Telephone Co., on Wednesday afternoon by falling over twenty feet while repairing some wires. He sustained a fracture of the right arm near the shoulder and injuries to his head. His hand was badly lacerated and a finger had to be amputated. The fracture was not attended to at the time, owing to the swollen condition of the arm, and not until this morning was the bone set. Cummins is at the Royal Jubilee hospital and will be in for some time.

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Rev. C. E. Cooper Gave Illustrated Address on His Travels.

The school room of St. Saviour's church, Victoria West, was crowded to the doors last night for the lecture on Egypt given by Rev. C. E. Cooper. The proceeds of the lecture were donated to the Missionary Society of the Canadian church and netted a goodly sum. The lecture was profusely illustrated by some excellent views, the lantern being handled by Mr. Eyers.

Mr. Cooper related many interesting incidents connected with his recent trip through Egypt. The "Trip up the Nile" was especially interesting to the audience, and the immense value of that great river to the country through which it flows was well brought out. The audience showed their appreciation of the lecture by careful attention and applause.

LAYMEN'S BANQUET.

Gathering Will Be Held in the Metropolitan Church This Evening.

To-night at 6 o'clock the men of the Metropolitan Methodist church will hold a missionary banquet. This is one of the results of the laymen's missionary movement, recently inaugurated in the city.

Brief addresses will be delivered on the various phases of the great question of the evangelization of the world, followed by an informal discussion of the matter, in which all those present will be at liberty to take part.

No subscriptions will be taken as it is a purely educational propaganda in which it is believed information and facts will be placed before the men of the church in such a way that they will feel their responsibility and will very willingly shoulder their share of the unfinished task.

EMPRESS PROGRAMME.

Music Which Will Be Given During the Dinner Period This Evening.

The musical programme to be played by the orchestra, under charge of Mr. Rucker, during dinner to-night at the Empress hotel will be as follows:

Grand March—Carmen ..... Bizet
Overture—Beautiful Galatea ..... Suppe
Valse Lente—Carnations ..... Stuart
Hungarian Dances (1 and 5) ..... Brahms
Selection from the Opera Maritana ..... Wallace
Gavotte—The Glow Worm ..... Lincke
Spring Song ..... Mendelssohn
Characteristic March—Persian .. Strauss

—Two drunks were dealt with in the police court this morning.

—A lady's muff has been found in a corridor of the post office and will be restored to the owner on personal application to the postmaster.

—The distribution of the new school desks which the board has purchased through Weiler Brothers has been arranged by Supt. Paul and Trustee Riddell, chairman of the buildings and grounds committee. All the schools will receive some of them, though Victoria West, having the greatest need, will get most of them. The desks are single and double, the former being for the upper grade, and will be put in on Saturday so as not to cause any interferance with studies.

—The case of Victoria Machinery Depot vs. Quatros was before Judge Lampman in chambers this morning on an interim application by counsel for the defence. The suit is for work done four and five years ago, and there is a counterclaim for an engine, engine shaft and brass propeller left with plaintiffs in January, 1903, for sale. An application to strike out certian pleadings was dismissed with costs, but leave was given both sides to amend their pleadings.

Frank Higgins left last evening for Vancouver, where he will attend the sitting of the Full court.

TWO STOREY BUILDING MAY NOW BE ERECTED

Lee Mong Kow and City Are Likely to Come to Settlement.

Lee Mong Kow was examined for discovery yesterday afternoon preliminary to the hearing of his suit against the city, arising out of the refusal to grant him a permit for a one-storey building on Yates street, between the Merchant's Bank and the Sylvester store. It is understood that Lee Mong Kow is not averse to putting up a two-storey building, and entering into an agreement with the city that it shall not be leased to Chinese, and it is possible that some proposition of this kind may be made to the city council.

STORY OF "THE PIXIES."

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"The Pixies" is not a mere collection of nursery rhymes. It is a big comic opera containing forty musical numbers, embracing solos, duets, quartetts, choruses, and incidental music for all tableaux, storm and battle scenes, marches, drills and dances. It is a complete poem, partly spoken and partly sung, and tells a closely-connected and intensely interesting story.

The curtain rises upon a tableau, "Sunrise in Fairyland," showing over one hundred little fairies asleep on banks of flowers in the moonlit garden of Queen Titania. This has been pronounced by old theatre goers as one of the most beautiful and pathetic pictures ever seen upon any stage. The wicked goblins steal in with vicious faces and uncanny leaps, and kidnap little Sunshine, the smallest of them all. The crowing of a cock announces the coming of the day, frightens the goblins off to their cave and awakes the Queen. While the moonlight melts into rosy dawn, the Queen arouses her sleeping host and they begin the celebration of the Festival of the Flowers. A page enters and announces the landing of Prince Florimel and his Pixie band, and the Queen sends an invitation to join the Festival. Strange footprints betray the visit of the goblins, little Sunshine is missed and gloom settles over the fairy host. The goblins return, bringing with them a terrific thunderstorm and the fairies fly to their palace for safety. During the attack of the goblins the gallant Pixies arrive and the goblins disappear into the bowels of the earth in a sheet of flame. The Pixies pledge themselves to battle and a terrific encounter follows, giving opportunity for many wierd and wonderful adventures. The goblins are at first defeated, but are joined by the Furies, old hags covered with wriggling serpents, and only the combined magic of the Queen and the Prince results in their capture and the restoration of little Sunshine. A pretty love story is interwoven which results in the betrothal of the Prince and Queen, when "joy reigns again in fairyland."

It does not drag wearily along like the average amateur production, but is full of life and action, and contains a hearty laugh in every line. During the action of the piece a number of very pretty drills and dances will be introduced, notably the dance of the butterflies, the military drill of the Amazon guards, twelve young ladies in "wild west" uniform, the motion song and dance of the Japanese maidens, and a "Flower Fantasee" given by seventeen young ladies who group themselves into a series of picture poses under colored lights.

Rehearsals are in daily progress at the A. O. U. W. hall, and the two hundred young ladies and children who take part are making wonderful progress under the direction of W. A. Milne, the author. Mr. Milne is ably assisted by Mrs. George Simpson and Mrs. M. E. Corsan. It will be given at the Victoria theatre on Friday and Saturday nights, November 20th and 21st, with a matinee on Saturday afternoon, in aid of the building fund of the Victoria Seamen's Institute.

—The men's meetings which have been held between 5 and 6 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. rooms during the past week will be brought to a close on Sunday evening. F. E. Frampton will lead this evening's meeting and Rev. Mr. Tapscott will lead Sunday's meeting. All men are cordially invited to attend.

—The funeral of the late George Welsh took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the parlors of the F. C. Funeral Furnishing Company, where an impressive service was conducted by Rev. T. W. Gladstone. There was a large attendance of friends present and a number of floral offerings were sent. The following acted as pallbearers: J. Jones, J. Johnston, J. Jacques, T. Astle, W. Ralph and J. P. Burgess.

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ALL SOCCER TEAMS TO MEET

LEAGUE SCHEDULE GAMES CONTINUED

Results of Matches To-morrow May Alter Standing of Three Clubs.

To-morrow afternoon there will be three senior soccer games in the city. The Bays will play the Fifth regiment at the Royal Athletic ground, Cedar Hill and Victoria West will meet at Clark's field, Cedar Hill, and Esquimalt will play the Garrison at Work Point.

Of the three matches the closest looks to be that between the Garrison and Esquimalt. The Garrison have been coming well to the front since the first of the season, when they beat the Fifth regiment 2-0, and after going down to defeat before the Esquimalt team by 5-0, they chased the Bays all the way in their next match, and although they were beaten by 2-1 they, with ordinary luck, should have come out of the game ahead. Their next game, however, was their finest exhibition when at the Royal Athletic ground they put up a draw with the league leaders, Victoria West, who have so far remained unbeaten. The Garrison suffered some bad luck in that game also, with the result that one goal is at the present time under protest. Esquimalt have now lost six of their eleven best players, the backbone of the team, and just how they can fill in the vacant places to-morrow is the item in the scale by which they will win or go down to defeat before the Garrison. With their regular team with which they played Victoria West and were beaten by that combination by 2-1, they would have to go some to defeat the Garrison to-morrow, and would have by no means a snap, so that with the teams in a crippled condition the chances of the Garrison putting up a win looks good. Esquimalt, however, say they have a strong team to put in the field and will not drop from second place on the list without putting up a determined fight.

The Fifth regiment and Bays will fight out a keen struggle. The Bays are getting better each game, while the regiment have now secured several likely players and have everything to gain by a win. The team will, however, be without LeFevre, who broke his collar bone in the tie practice game two weeks ago against the Bays. Should the Bays win and Esquimalt be defeated the Bays will run into second place with Esquimalt. They are determined to secure that position if a strong team can do it for them. With the opportunity to climb up one step the fastest and strongest in the J. B. A. A. will be sure to enter the field. Among the men will probably be found B. P. Schwengers, who was out on the morning of the holiday with the Bays' second division. If he plays up to form the team will be considerably strengthened.

At Cedar Hill the Victoria West team should add another win to their unbeaten record, although there is always the chance of a surprise occurring.

All the games will be started at three o'clock.

The positions of the six league teams to date are as follosw:

Victoria West, beat regiment 10-0; Bays, 3-1; Esquimalt, 2-1; Regiment, 3-1; drew Garrison, 2-2.

Esquimalt, beat Bays, 3-2; Garrison, 5-0; Cedar Hill, 4-2; lost, Victoria west, 2-1.

Bays, beat Cedar Hill, 1-0; beat Garrison, 2-1; last, Esquimalt, 3-2; Victoria West, 3-1.

Cedar Hill, beat Regiment, 3-1; lost, Bays, 1-0; lost, Regiment, 4-2.

Garrison, beat Regiment, 2-0; lost, Esquimalt, 5-0; lost, Bays, 2-1; draw, Victoria West, 2-2.

Regiment lost Victoria West, 10-0; Cedar Hill, 3-1; Garrison, 2-0; Victoria West, 3-1.

Team.	Goals For.	Goals Against.
Victoria West	20	5
Esquimalt	13	6
Bays	6	7
Cedar Hill	5	6
Garrison	5	9
Fifth Regiment	2	18

North Ward and the High School teams will play soccer to-morrow in the junior series of the Victoria and District Association Football league.

Victoria West and Baraca, second division, will play to-morrow afternoon in the Victoria and District Association Football league.

The team to represent Victoria West to-morrow afternoon against Cedar Hill is: Goal, Beaney; backs, Prevost, White; halves, Petticrew, Balley and Kinlock; forwards, Tait, Okell, Sedger, Hall, Cowper and Kroeger.

The Victoria West team will meet at Yates and Government streets at 2 p. m. and go to Clarke's field in a body. The team's supporters are invited to join them at that hour and place.

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ISLAND LEAGUE.

Victoria United Team Will Hold Meeting To-Night.

The Victoria United Association football team for entry into the island league will go through formation process at the J. B. A. A. club rooms to-night at 8 o'clock, at which hour all persons in the city of Victoria who are interested in the strong effort now evident in the city to boost soccer football and to land the island championship this year, are requested to line up. All players and supporters are expected.

Esquimalt Team.

The Esquimalt Athletic Association will meet at the canteen grounds Tuesday night next for the purpose of organising a team for entry into the island league this year. A large attendance is requested, and everyone not on the Victoria United team is asked to be on hand to support the proposition.

LACROSSE.

LARRY BRENNAN DEAD.

Larry Brennan, the famous Ottawa lacrosse player, who disappeared some months ago, causing a sensation, died in the McKellar hospital at Fort William, Ont., on Sunday last. He had been ill with typhoid fever for some weeks. Brennan played for some time before taken sick on the Fort William lacrosse teams.

VICTORIA AND SEATTLE BULLY OFF AT THREE

International Hockey Game at Oak Bay To-morrow—Dance at Night.

The first game in the British Columbia hockey league and for the Prior cup, will be played to-morrow afternoon at Oak Bay between Victoria and Seattle. This is the first appearance of Seattle in the league and from accounts to hand of the material from which to draw a team there, the eleven against whom the locals will be matched is a strong one. The local players, however, have been at practice continually since the commencement of the season and have a good team to go up against the visitors. The captain of the local combination said this morning there is very little doubt as to the result. He has his men in high grade form and if the Seattle team want to win their opening game in British Columbia hockey, they will have to bring out the best stuff in their city to do it.

The team to represent Victoria is: Goal, R. Lort; backs, J. Scott and W. B. Mason; halves, R. Bamford, J. Bateman, J. F. Mason; forwards, C. J. Paget-Ford, J. M. Lawson, J. Hart, (captain), N. Montgomery, T. Winsby.

The referee will be furnished by the Garrison club.

To-morrow night the club will hold a grand hockey ball at the A. O. U. W. hall, at which the visitors will be present and also a large number of local people who have purchased tickets. The music for the dance will be in the best hands and a long and enjoyable programme has been marked out. Refreshments will be provided in the ante rooms. The ball will commence at 8:15 p. m.

WAVERLY CUP MATCHES COMMENCE TO-MORROW

Local Eight and One Spare Man Now on Way to Portland.

Col. A. W. Jones, A. L. Crease, C. S. Birch, J. R. Waghorn and George Johnston, the remaining members of the team of nine golf players, eight of whom are to represent Victoria at Portland to-morrow and during the following days in the competition for the Waverly Cup valued at $500, left last night for Portland where they will join the four other members of the Victoria team, who left the city for their destination one day earlier. Their names are T. H. Sterling, A. T. Goward, H. D. Twigg and L. L. Gillespie.

The Waverly Cup is the gift of the Waverly golf club and is for competition by eight men teams from all the northwest cities affiliated with the Northwest Golf Association. The cup must be won three times by the same club before it becomes the property of the club permanently. The competition this year is the first of the series. Spokane, Seattle, Portland, Victoria and several other cities are to have representation in the contest.

THE OAR.

BIG PRIZE OFFERED.

The London Sportsman announces a gift of $2,500 by the Nugget Polish Company to further the revival of professional sculling initiated by the recent race for the English championship between E. Barry and G. Towns. The money will probably be divided into a first prize of $1,250, a second of $500, and a number of minor prizes. The handicap will be open to scullers of the world.

RUGBY STRUGGLE AT OAK BAY PROMISED

Bays and City Name Strong Teams to Play To-morrow.

Rugby will be commenced in earnest to-morrow afternoon at Oak Bay, where the Bays and the city teams will meet in the first match of the schedule for the season. Both teams have been in training for several weeks, and were set down for a game last Monday. The Bays on that occasion were, however, the only team to put in an appearance, and the match did not take place. A month ago the two teams played to a draw at Oak Bay, and the rivalry is this year more intense between them than it was last year. The game on Saturday will be fought strenuously. The Bays held their final work out last night, and will select the team from the following twenty-one men: Johnson, Tait, Hopgood, Thompson, Vincent, Bendrodt, Cohan, Newcombe, Carse, Sweeney, Loat, Arbuckle, Archibald, Campbell, Dinsdale, Scott, Winsby, Dooley, Nason, Spencer and McNair.

The city will be represented by: Full back, Gowan; three-quarters, Meredith, Gillespie, Cooper and Bromley (commander); half-backs, Parker and Pitts; forwards, Dunn, Grahame (W. S.), Harris, Sandy, Turner, Spalding, Keefer and Morley.

Meredith will be noticed in the line up, and will be out for his first appearance this season in a match. He is in with the city team; while anntther new name in the same line up is that of Bromley on the three-quarter line. There are a couple of new men in the Bays first twenty-one men also who may be seen on the ground.

NEW GOLF RULES HAVE BEEN ADOPTED

St. Andrew's Royal and Ancient Club Approves Alterations.

At a recent extraordinary general meeting of the Royal and Ancient Golf Club, held at St. Andrews, Scotland, under the chairmanship of the Earl of Stair, the following alterations in the golf club rules were adopted:

If a ball on the putting green be in casual water, or if there be casual water between it and the hole, the ball may be lifted without penalty and placed by hand, either directly behind the spot where the ball lay in the water or in the nearest position which affords a putt to the hole without water intervening, but such position must not be nearer to the hole than the spot from which the ball was lifted.

The committee recommended that the lost ball penalty should be the same in both match and medal play.

One of the most important recommendations of the committee was that the penalty for "out of bounds," should be loss of both stroke and distance, and to this the meeting agreed. Both John Graham, Jr., the Scottish internationalist, and C. A. Palmer, the well-known Birmingham player, had given notice of amendments to the effect that the penalty should be the same as in the past, namely, loss of distance only. This view found considerable favor among golfers, because it was felt that an increase of punishment would lead to ultra-careful play when there was a chance of a competitor hitting a ball out of bounds, but the argument of the committee that a ball struck out of bounds ought to be as heavily penalized as a ball lost or lying unplayable on the course met with the meeting's approval.

FOOTBALLER CAUGHT BY TORPEDO BOAT

Famous United Service Man Brought From Sea to Play Match.

It was only owing to the sporting sympathies of the naval authorities at Portsmouth that Lieutenant G. H. D'O. Lyon, R.N., the famous United Services and English International Rugby football player, was able to assist the London team against the Australians at Richmond recently.

A telegram was received in London the day before the match from Lieut. Lyon stating that he would not be able to play full-back as his ship had been ordered to sea for a short cruise.

The news also rapidly spread among Lieut. Lyon's comrades at Portsmouth, and representations were made to the "right quarters," but by this time he had sailed.

Permission was speedily given for him to have the necessary leave. The next thing to be done was to find Lieut. Lyon. A torpedo boat was dispatched in chase of the officer, who was "captured" near Spithead.

A special train had been arranged for, and Lieut. Lyon arrived at the ground just in time to change and play the greatest games of his career.

ATHLETICS.

HARVARD WINS.

Brookline, Mass., Nov. 13.—Harvard defeated Yale in the second annual cross-country meet between the two universities over a six mile course yesterday by the score of 20 to 30.

BASKETBALL.

SHAMROCKS WIN.

A junior basketball game played at the Institute hall last night resulted in a victory of the Shamrocks over the Y. M. C. A. team by a score of 20 points to 12.

The Shamrocks will hold a meeting at the Institute hall to-night, commencing at 8 o'clock.

Cigars form part of the daily rations of the Italian soldier.

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and all disorders of the bowels and stomach.

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EYE OPENER WINS.

But Jury Severely Censures the Publication of Such a Paper.

Calgary, Nov. 13.—The famous trial of D. McGillicuddy, charged with having criminally libelled R. C. Edwards, editor of the Eye Opener, closed on Wednesday night with the conviction of McGillicuddy, who was fined $100.

The jury found that the plea of justification was not sustained. They added a rider to their verdict that the jury, as citizens of Calgary, desired to place on record their disapproval of the obscene literature, illustrations and such like in the Eye Opener, and suggested that the paper be suppressed in case similar stuff be printed in the future.

The judge decided that each party should pay his own costs. The judge in his finding cautioned the Eye Opener against repeating objectionable literature.

The defence asked for a reserved case, inasmuch as the judge left to the jury the deciding upon the point of justification.

DEFENDS NIGHT RIDERS.

Statement of Mississippi Man Throws Cotton Convention Into Uproar.

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 13.—Fiery denunciation of "night riding" and equally fiery defence of the "night rider" threw the cotton convention into disorder yesterday, and nearly terminated the day's session before the programme had fairly begun. President Harvie Jordan finally succeeded in stilling the excitement.

Walter Clarke of Clarksdale, Miss., precipitated the trouble when he wandered from his technical subject to denounce "night riding." He called the "night riders" a class of men who shot people in the back.

A. C. Roane, a resident of northeastern Mississippi, jumped on his chair and called Mr. Clark to order. He said the "night riders" were an oppressed people, fighting for what they believed to be right, working against overwhelming odds, but always from the best motives.

The entire convention was in an uproar in a moment, but was finally quieted.

TO LOVE.

I made my world to suit my taste:
In shapely corners, here and there,
My choice affinities were placed
With reticence and gentle care.

My books were ordered at my side,
To bring me stimulus or rest,
And carefully I chose my bride,
The fairest thing that I possessed.

My world was pleasantly complete,
I smiled at Destiny, as one
Who has a gracious friend to meet
In flower'd fields at set of sun.

I smiled indulgently on men,
Unkempt and sweating in their strife
With brutal circumstance, and, then,
You crashed into my languid life.

"HIP! HIP! HOORAY!"

A Jolly Musical Production Which Is Coming Next Week.

Rice and Cady will appear at the Victoria theatre on Tuesday night in "Hip! Hip! Hooray!" the latest success from Jos. Weber's Broadway music hall. So far as any method except for amusement can be discovered in its merry madness, the Rice and Cady production is a lively satire on the foibles of the American college boy and the American girl. Rice, who is a famous Dutch mutilator of the Anglo-Saxon language, appears as Julius Grienbacher, a retired millionaire merchant who has entered into partnership with one Michael Schultz, played by Cady, for the purpose of booming a breakfast food. Throughout the farce the fun comes fast and furious and there is plenty of sparkling music from the muse of Gus Edwards.

Rice and Cady are surrounded by a capital company including such Broadway favorites as May Phelps, Belle Dale, Rose Leslie, Mazie Trumball, Wm. Mack, Harry Shunk, Thos. Lynch and Wellington Cross; then there is a bevy of beauties, such as have made the girls of Weber's music hall proverbial the whole world over. The original gorgeous productions, Parisian costumes and all will be seen here intact.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

TENDERS

Will be received up to 4 p. m. on **Monday, the 23rd inst.**, for the making and supplying of **20 Fire Hydrants**, as per specifications, which can be seen at the office of the undersigned, to whom tenders must be sent.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
Purchasing Agent.

City Hall, Nov. 11th, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of December, 1908, I shall apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for Victoria City for a transfer of the license to sell liquor by retail at the premises known as the St. George's Inn, on the Esquimalt road, Victoria, B. C., from the late Thos. Griffiths to the undersigned, Alice Griffiths.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 9th day of November, 1908.

ALICE GRIFFITHS.

Buy the Times

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the Matter of the Estate of Henry Jenkinson, Deceased, Intestate, and in the Matter of the Official Administrator's Act.

Notice is hereby given that, under an order made by the Hon. the Chief Justice, dated 6th November, 1908, I, the undersigned, was appointed administrator of the estate of the above deceased. All parties having claims against the said estate are required to send particulars of their claims to me on or before the 6th day of December, 1908, and all parties indebted to the said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 11th day of November, 1908.

WILLIAM MONTEITH,
Official Administrator.

MUNICIPALITY OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY.

VOTERS' LIST.

NOTICE TO HOUSEHOLDERS.

Take notice that all persons, not the owners of lands or improvements, who:

1. Are British subjects of the full age of twenty-one years;
2. Have resided within the Municipality since the first day of January last;
3. Have paid all rates, taxes or assessments, which are not chargeable on land, and which amount to not less than two dollars for the current year, other than water rates or taxes or license fees for dogs;

And who desire to have their names placed on the voters' list, shall make out and cause to be delivered to the Clerk of the Municipality a statutory declaration on or before the first day of December next.

J. S. FLOYD, Clerk.

Victoria, B. C., 5th November, 1908.



Stanfield's Underwear

(Chapter 6)

Cutting and Sewing

After the best wool has been selected, washed, shrunk, combed, spun and knitted—the pure woolen fabrics go to the cutting room. Just as the tailor and dressmaker cut out garments by hand, so in the Stanfield mills, all the cutting is done by hand.

Some Underwear is cut out by machinery. Now, we have machines which do what human hands can't do. 18 of our spinning machines spin as much yarn as 16,546 spinning wheels. 88 of our knitting machines knit as much underwear as 17,234 women with needles—and do it without a dropped stitch or broken thread.

But we have never seen a machine that could cut out cloth as well as it can be done with shears in the hands of a skilled cutter. This is why Stanfield's Underwear is cut by hand.

On the other hand, all Stanfield's Underwear is sewed by machinery. It is quicker and better, because the sewing machines are run by electricity and because they sew inter-locking stitches, which make it impossible for seams to ravel.

As fast as garments are completed, they go to the laundry, to be washed by being revolved in big machines for an hour to determine that they are absolutely unshrinkable. Then each garment is tested on models—which range in size from 22 to 70 inches chest or bust measure—and its size thus exactly determined.

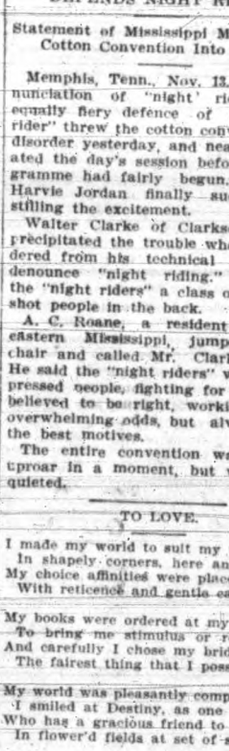
When you buy Stanfield's Underwear, you know that you are getting Underwear

—made of the purest, strongest wool
—that can't rip or ravel
—that won't shrink or stretch
—that fits perfectly
—that wears longerst.

Your dealer has all sizes and weights or can easily get them for you.



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Movements of Local Vessels—Trade Expansion in B. C. Waters—Gleanings of Interest From the Seven Seas.

TRADE ON SKEENA LARGER THAN EVER

Steamer Hazelton Made Twenty Trips in Past Season.

The two Skeena river steamers, the Port Simpson and Hazelton, are not coming to Victoria this year to winter, as they usually do. They have been hauled out on the Hudson Bay Company's own marine ways at Port Simpson, and will be painted and overhauled generally in readiness for the opening of next season early in April.

The captain of the Hazelton, J. P. Bucey, and Purser C. Lockerby, came down on the steamer Camosun.

Mr. Lockerby says the past year has been a record one in the number of passengers carried and the amount of freight handled. The Hazelton made twenty trips to the town of Hazelton, the steamer leaving on her last trip on October 29th. No boat has ever made that number of trips before in one year. During part of the season the freight and passengers had to be trans-shipped at the canyon. Fortunately at the time that the water got too high to make navigation safe, one of the steamers was above the canyon and the other below. That enabled the work to continue throughout the period. For nearly two and a half months it was impossible to pass the canyon.

Speaking of the development of the country, Mr. Lockerby said a large number of settlers had gone in and had cleared part of their ranches along the river banks. On the cleared parts they had raised a good supply of vegetables and were preparing to plant much larger areas next year. They had got splendid prices for everything they raised and were doing well. Such a great rush has there been during the past season that little is left in the hands of the government.

WHALERS HAVE A THRILLING EXPERIENCE

Wounded Mammal Smashes Boat to Pieces—Men Cling to Wreckage.

San Francisco, Nov. 12.—Attacked by a gigantic whale which smashed their boat to pieces with a mighty sweep of its tail, Second Mate John Thomas, Boat Steerer Joe Sever and four seamen of the whaling barque John and Winthrop, which has just returned from a ten months' cruise in the South seas and along the coast of Japan, nearly lost their lives in the blood-tinged waters.

They were far from the barque when the whale, maddened with pain, turned upon them, and would surely have perished had they not clung to pieces of wreckage until picked up by a rescue party, which had witnessed the movements of the enraged whale from the barque.

The whale had been harpooned by Boat Steerer Sever and with the harpoon imbedded in his head and the rope paying out like lightning, was headed for the open sea. For nearly half a mile the whale boat tore along through the water as if propelled by steam. Far ahead the whale was spurting spirals of blood-colored water into the air. The line was now let out slower and slower and at last brought taut, while the whale, apparently realizing his ultimate defeat, turned about and headed directly for the boat.

Before the men could grasp their oars and put about the leviathan was upon them and in an instant they found themselves in the water with pieces of their boat floating about them. The movements of the animal had kicked up the water into foaming billows and it was with great difficulty that they could keep their heads above the surface.

No sooner had the whale demolished the boat than he dived deeply into the sea, leaving a blood-red trail behind. As best they could the whalers clung to oars and portions of the wrecked craft. They were in the water for nearly an hour before a rescue party from the barque reached them. Their predicament had been seen by the man in the crow's nest, who is always on duty with a glass to watch for such mishaps.

OVERDUE VESSELS.

Ship Toxteth, 285 days from Port Talbot, for Tocopilla, 90 per cent.

Ship Thornliebank, 157 days from Caleta Buena for Bilbao, 8 per cent.

Ship Ilala, 204 days from Peru for Antwerp, 8 per cent.

Ship Celtic Chief, 140 days from Port Talbot for Taltal, 10 per cent.

Ship Chauteaubrian, 129 days from New Caledonia for Hull, 8 per cent.

Barque Austrasia, 112 days from Pisagua for Falmouth, 8 per cent.

Chinese junk Whang Ho, 137 days from Papeete for Galveston, 25 per cent.

Ship Derwent, 119 days from New Caledonia for Hampton Roads, 10 per cent.

Ship Cortez, 96 days from New Caledonia for Falmouth, 10 per cent.

Barque Drummenseren, 103 days from New Caledonia for Channel, 10 per cent.

Ship Bendearg, 140 days from Port Townsend for Delagoa bay, 8 per cent.

Capt. Blackstad went up to Clayoquot on the Tees when she left port a few days ago, for the purpose of paying off those Indians who did not wish to come down to Victoria for their sealing money.

EMPRESSES ARE BEING BUILT

NEW VESSELS FOR C. P. R. ATLANTIC TRADE

Fifty Feet Longer Than Present Steamers With Speed of Over 20 Knots.

Montreal, Nov. 13.—The Canadian Pacific Railway Company has on the stocks under construction at the shipbuilding yards of the Fairfield Company, on the Clyde, two new steamers for the St. Lawrence route, larger and faster than the Empresses of Britain and Ireland, and the contract calls for their completion in time to take part in the North Atlantic passenger traffic in the navigation season of 1910.

The plans of the new vessels, which it is stipulated in the contract must at the trials be capable of developing a speed of over twenty knots an hour, and be longer by fifty feet than the present Empresses—have been prepared so as to embody special features that fit them in a peculiar degree for the St. Lawrence channel, which it is fully anticipated will be so improved by that time that the latest examples of advanced marine architecture will steam up to Montreal. The harbor facilities here will be sufficient as the programme of improvement that the harbor commissioners have in hand to be carried into effect will be so far advanced that there will be ample accommodation for them at this port.

The details as to these new steamers were all settled before Arthur Piers left for England at the end of the summer, and the new vessels were immediately thereafter put under construction. A certain amount of secrecy was preserved, but the information with regard to this most important progressive move on the part of the company comes from a most reliable and trustworthy official source direct from the management on the other side of the Atlantic, under whose eyes the vessels will assume form and grace within the next year and a half.

The present Empresses are 570 feet long.

MARINE NOTES

The steamboat Port Orchard, an ancient and widely known stern wheeler, was burned at Port Blakeley a few days ago. She once ran between Seattle and Bremerton, and was regarded as one of the leading boats in her day.

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The flour cargo has been taken out of the Japanese steamer Fukui Maru and put into bond at the Johnson wharf, Vancouver, preparatory to repairing the plates damaged when she was rammed by the Princess Royal.

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The steamship Indravelli, under charter to the Alley company, left Auckland for Victoria on November 5th. The Indravelli will lie four days at Suva to load sugar for the refinery at Vancouver. She may be expected early next month.

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Steam collier Eir is due here from Guaymas on the 17th inst. in ballast, after taking coal from Comox. She is returning for another cargo for that port.

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The Fraser river steamer Ramona, when coming down to New Westminster from Chilliwack on Wednesday, suddenly gave a list to port. It was found that the valve in the siphon hose had become misplaced and the steamer had to be beached. The passengers were sent to New Westminster.

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Steamer Queen City, which has been plying between Vancouver and the near-by logging camps on the Straits of Georgia, has been laid up for an overhauling. She is tied alongside the Princess Ena.

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The sternwheeler R. P. Rithet has been sent over to tie up in the slough just below New Westminster, and there she will probably remain unless she is sold.

Belfast, Nov. 13.—The steamer Minnewauska, the largest vessel of the fleet of the Atlantic transport line, was successfully launched here yesterday. She is 14,500 tons, and will start in the New York service in 1909.

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Cleveland, Ohio, Nov. 13.—After spending a night of terror, fearing death and suffering from exposure, the crew of ten men and one woman, of the steamer John C. Pringle, of Detroit, in charge of Capt. L. E. King, was rescued yesterday by the lifesaving crew. The Pringle left here on Wednesday and was driven ashore ten miles east by the high winds.

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Steamer Otter is loading the freight brought here on the Shinano Maru for Vancouver.

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Princess Beatrice, running between this city and Seattle, will not leave Victoria on Sunday next nor Seattle on Monday.

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The Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Tango Maru left Yokohama on November 11th for this port, and is due here on the 26th inst.

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The steamer City of Puebla left the outer dock this morning at 8.30, carrying 303 passengers for San Francisco.

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LOW CHARTER RATES STILL PREVAILING

Twenty-four Shillings From Puget Sound to United Kingdom.

Accepting an unusually low freight of 24 shillings, two steamers are reported to have been chartered by Kerr, Gifford & Co. to carry grain from Puget Sound or Portland to the United Kingdom. The lowest fixture for a steamer to carry grain to the United Kingdom from the Sound was 24s. 6d., which was given the German steamer Wangard by Kerr, Gifford & Co., but it is understood that the new fixtures are made at 24s.

The two steamers said to have been taken at this low rate are the British steamer Uganda and the British steamer Carlton.

The Uganda is at present en route from Norfolk with a cargo of coal for Magdalena bay. She left Norfolk September 8th. She is a freighter of 2,783 net tons.

Like the Uganda, the Carlton is carrying coal from the Atlantic. She left Newport News September 26th for San Francisco. The Carlton is a vessel of 4,047 net tons and will carry a large cargo. It is not known whether the steamers will load at Tacoma or Portland.

The British barque Sardhana, which has arrived at Eagle Harbor with creosote from London, has been chartered by J. J. Moore & Co. to carry lumber from Puget Sound to Sydney, for which she is to receive 30s.

Among the charter announcements of the past week the San Francisco Guide prints the following:

Cressington, Italian schooner, 2,051 tons, barley to U. K., H., Ant. or Dnk., 23s. 6d.; by Balfour, Guthrie & Co., prior to arrival.

H. K. Hall, American schooner, 1,150 tons (on Columbia river)—lumber through to Sydney, 31s. 3d.; by Dempster & Son, prior to arrival.

Jean, French barque, 1,943 tons—barley to U. K., Havre or Dnk.; by Balfour, Guthrie & Co., prior to arrival.

Wangard, German ship, 2,736 tons (on Puget Sound)—wheat thence to U. K., Havre, Ant. or Dnk., 24s. 6d., prior to arrival.

Charters for week ending November 7th, announced by the Guide as follows:

Acamas, British ship, 1,715 tons—wheat and barley to U. K., T., Ant or Dnk. 24s.; by Hind, Rolph & Co., prior to arrival.

Amazon, American barkentine, 1,105 tons—lumber from Columbia river Willapa harbor or Puget Sound to Sydney, 25s., 9d.; by G. W. McNear, prior to arrival.

Brodick Castle, British ship, 1,763 tons (at Portland)—wheat thence to U. K., Havre or Dnk.; Kerr Gifford & Co.

California, British ship, 2,461 tons—merchandise to Liverpool or London, 25s.; by Balfour, Guthrie & Co., prior to arrival.

David d'Angers, French ship, 1,737 tons (at Portland)—wheat thence to U. K., Havre, Ant, or Dnk., 27s. 6d.; by Balfour, Guthrie & Co., prior to arrival.

Hornelen, Norwegian steamer, 2,413 tons (on Puget Sound)—lumber thence to West Coast, S. A. (t. c.); by W. R. Grace & Co.

Lord Sefton, British steamer, 3,026 tons—on the berth for Australian ports, in Australian Mail Line.

Lydgate, British ship, 2,350 tons (at Portland)—wheat thence to U. K., Havre, Ant., or Dnk.; 27s. 6d.; by Balfour, Guthrie & Co., prior to arrival.

Metha Nelson, American schooner, 399 tons (at Eureka)—lumber thence to La Paz, by Chas. Nelson Co.

Prosper, American schooner, 512 tons (on Puget Sound)—lumber thence to Guaymas; by Chas. Nelson Co.

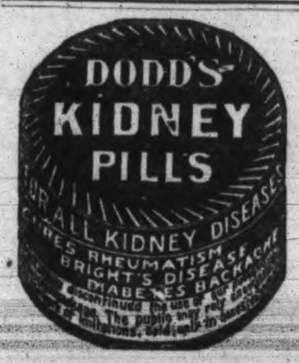
Semantha, British ship, 2,211 tons (on Puget Sound)—lumber thence to Leith, 50s.; by Neame & Co.

FOG DELAYS LINER.

The Antilochus Forced to Anchor in English Bay For Two Days.

The Blue Funnel liner Antilochus, after discharging her freight here, had a hard time making her next discharge port, Vancouver. When she arrived at English Bay the fog, which had been gradually settling down, became so thick that it became unsafe for her to proceed, and for two days she waited patiently for a rift in the fog bank.

While lying in the bay her captain and crew had a bad scare for a tug with a boom of logs passed that way, and although the tug cleared her safely, the boom struck the liner which made her shiver. Finally on Wednesday the fog lifted enough for the freighter to start for the inner harbor. She passed the narrows safely and arrived in Vancouver harbor, but before she could make her mooring place the fog was as thick as ever and once more she had to anchor. She remained in that position for two hours and then, the fog lifting once more she tied up at Evans, Coleman & Evans' wharf. She is still discharging.



WAITING AT ESQUIMALT.

Ships Still Unchartered Are Awaiting the Offering of Business.

The ship Halewood was this morning towed into Esquimalt harbor, that being considered a more suitable place for her to lie up than in the Royal Roads. It is not known yet whether she will be cleaned up here, the owners not having yet decided. It is altogether probable that she will, however, now that she has been taken round to Esquimalt.

This makes four ships lying in Esquimalt harbor. The Senator arrived here in May, the Lord Shaftsbury in June, and neither of them have yet been chartered. The Ditton is repairing at the B. C. Marine Railway ship yards previous to going to Chemainus to load lumber for Delagoa Bay. All of these ships are represented here by R. P. Rithet & Co.

There are also two unchartered ships lying in the Royal roads, the recently arrived Arranmore, and the Carradale.

The rates are at present so low that the owners of these ships have not yet thought it worth while to take up any of the offers that have been made.

DOCKS COMBINED.

San Francisco Firms Join Hands With Object of Securing More Business.

Charles M. Schwab, head of the Bethlehem Steel Company, which controls the Union Irons Works of San Francisco, announced yesterday that the steel company had purchased the controlling interest in the San Francisco Drydock Company, which owns two big docks at Hunters Point, within San Francisco bay, as well as a number of floating docks for small vessels. Mr. Schwab said that the docks would be combined with the Union Iron Works into a vast repair establishment capable of handling marine work of any magnitude and of docking any ship afloat in the Pacific ocean. The amount involved in the deal was not made public, further than the statement of Mr. Schwab that it would reach several millions.

The Hunters Point drydocks, two in number, are respectively 750 and 490 feet long, the larger capable of taking any vessel that has ever entered the harbor, including battleships. It is the intention of Mr. Schwab to build at the docks efficient repair shops to do any class of work.

PRELIMINARY INQUIRY.

Captain Gaudin Examined a Number of Witnesses From Princess Royal This Morning.

Captain Gaudin this morning held a preliminary inquiry into the cause of the collision between the steamers Princess Royal and Fukui Maru in Vancouver Harbor. The officers of the Princess Royal were examined and within a day or two the officers and men of the Japanese boat will give their side of the story. Captain Gaudin will then make a recommendation to the department of marine and fisheries at Ottawa in regard to the advisability of holding a more complete public investigation.

SHIPPING GUIDE.

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS

From the Orient.

Vessel.	Due.
Tango Maru	Nov. 26
Empress of Japan	Nov. 28

From Australia.

Manuka	Nov. 19
Indravelli	Dec. 3
Marama	Dec. 17

From Mexico.

Georgia	Nov. 16

From Liverpool.

Teucer	Nov. 24
Titan	Dec. 22

TO SAIL

For the Orient

Empress of India	Nov. 18
Shinano Maru	Nov. 24

For Australia

Manuka	Dec. 4

For Mexico.

Georgia	Nov. 21

For Liverpool.

Antilochus	Dec. 3

SAILING VESSELS TO ARRIVE

Name.	Left.	Date.	For.
Haddon Hall	Liverpool	April 4	Vict.
(Left Monte Video Aug. 3.)			
Puritan	Boston	Sept. 14	Vanc.

COASTWISE STEAMERS TO ARRIVE

From San Francisco.

Vessel.	Due.
President	Nov. 16

From Skagway.

Vadso	Nov. 18
Princess May	Nov. 17

From Northern B. C. Ports.

Camosun	Nov. 13
Vadso	Nov. 18
Amur	Nov. 15

From West Coast.

Tees	Nov. 19

TO SAIL.

For San Francisco.

Governor	Nov. 17

For Skagway.

Princess May	Nov. 18

For Northern B. C. Ports.

Camosun	Nov. 13
Vadso	Nov. 18

For West Coast.

Tees	Nov. 20

FERRY SERVICE

Seattle and Vancouver.

S. S. Princess Beatrice sails for Seattle at 10 p. m.; returning, leaves Seattle at 8.30 a. m.

S. S. Princess Victoria will run between Vancouver and Seattle for a few days, leaving Vancouver at noon every day, and returning leave Seattle at 10 p. m.

S. S. Charmer will run as usual between Victoria and Vancouver, leaving Victoria at 11.59 p. m.; returning, leaves Vancouver at 1 p. m.

S. S. Whatcom sails daily, except Thursday, for Seattle, at 8 p. m. Arrives daily, except Thursday, from Seattle at 2.30 p.m.

HIGH DIPLOMACY.

Mrs. Gramercy—You look all tired out.

Mrs. Park—No wonder. It's so trying to find out from your friends what they'd like to have for Christmas without conveying the impression that they may expect it from you.—The Smart Set.

CITY FINANCES ARE VERY SATISFACTORY

Statement Prepared for Council Last Night Shows Situation Better Than Expected.

The city fathers wrestled behind closed doors for a couple of hours last night with the problem of making their finances meet the demands of civic services until the end of the year. They had before them a financial statement prepared for them by Comptroller Raymur, and this they guarded carefully. It is known, however, that this statement is much more satisfactory than the showing of last year.

The statement showed the amount of estimated expenditure for the year, the amount spent up to the end of October, what votes have been exceeded and what are likely to lapse, and an estimate of the revenue yet to come in. This latter is a conservative one, but, as the statement stands, it shows a deficit of $1,800 odd at the end of the year. Of course, if the revenue comes in more freely than has been estimated it will make all the better showing. Last year there was a deficit of $13,000 at the close.

The aldermen discussed the statement, especially with a view to securing more money for street maintenance. The small balance left for this work will not carry the department on for much longer, at a season when the expenditure on street cleaning becomes heavy.

Mr. Raymur also gave the council a verbal statement of the position in regard to the waterworks, in view of a revision of the rates. Nothing was done in this matter, but it will be taken up shortly.

In regard to the general financial position, no definite steps were taken, nor will anything be done until another meeting has been held.

Slow progress is being made with the preliminary proceedings in the matter of Belmont avenue permanent improvements. Ald. Gleason has been pressing for more speed with the work at each council meeting, but the chief difficulty appears to be a legal one. To straighten the street will require arrangements to be made with several owners of lots fronting on it, and this takes time. At present City Assessor Northcott, City Solicitor Mann and Ald. Gleason are all negotiating with the owners. The cost of the work will be greater than was at first estimated and it will also be necessary to find out if the owners who petitioned for the work in the first place are willing to have it proceeded with at the increased expense.

SHIPPING REPORT

Cape Lazo, Nov. 13, 8 a. m.—Clear; calm; barometer, 30.28; temperature, 48. Sea smooth.

Point Grey, Nov. 13, 8 a. m.—Fair; dense fog; barometer, 30.06; temperature, 41; steamer Humboldt passed north bound.

Tatoosh, Nov. 13, 8 a. m.—Clear; wind northeast 18 miles; barometer, 30.37; temperature, 46. Passed in four-masted schooner during night; passed out four-masted schooner, towing, at 7 a.m.

Estevan, Nov. 13, 8 a. m.—Clear; calm; barometer, 30.44; temperature, 48. Sea smooth.

Pachena, Nov. 13, 8 a. m.—Clear; calm; barometer, 30.26; temperature, 38. Sea smooth.

(Radio Wireless.)

Cape Lazo, Nov. 13, noon.—Cloudy; barometer, 30.30; thermometer, 45; sea smooth. Spoke Humboldt twenty miles north of Nanaimo at 12; spoke Santa Clara nine miles north of Lazo, south bound.

Point Grey, Nov. 13, noon.—Dense fog, barometer, 30.30; thermometer, 44.

Tatoosh, Nov. 13, noon.—Cloudy; northeast; barometer, 30; thermometer, 30.38. In, Amoy, at 9.15; out, lighthouse tender Amelia, at 10.50

Estevan, Nov. 13, noon.—Cloudy, barometer, 30.43; thermometer, 51; sea smooth.

Pachena, Nov. 13, noon.—Clear, southeast breeze; barometer, 30.30; thermometer, 48; sea smooth.

(By Dominion Wire.)

Cape Beale, 9 a. m.—Light northwest wind; clear; sea smooth.

Carmanah, noon.—Calm; clear; sea smooth; barometer, 30.20.

Cape Beale.—Light southeast wind; clear; sea smooth.

Clayoquot.—Calm; dull; sea moderate.

TIDE TABLE.

Victoria, B. C., November, 1908.

Date.	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht
	h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.	h. m	ft.	h. m.	ft.
1	2 12	1.8	11 03	8.3	15 16	7.9	17 12	8.0
2	3 09	2.2	12 00	8.2	16 44	7.3	18 36	7.4
3	4 06	2.7	12 05	8.2	17 45	6.5	21 54	6.8
4	5 01	3.4	12 13	8.2	18 31	5.5	23 51	6.7
5	5 54	4.1	12 28	8.3	19 14	4.4	....	....
6	1 20	6.9	6 44	4.8	12 47	8.6	19 55	2.4
7	2 43	7.2	7 29	5.7	13 08	8.8	20 34	2.4
8	4 04	7.4	8 10	6.4	13 32	9.0	21 15	1.8
9	5 23	7.7	8 50	7.1	13 56	9.2	21 58	1.4
10	6 32	7.9	9 32	7.7	14 18	9.2	22 42	1.2
11	8 20	8.2	10 21	8.1	14 39	9.0	23 27	1.3
12	9 49	8.5	11 32	8.4	14 31	8.8	....	....
13	0 13	1.7	10 40	8.7	....	....	....	....
14	1 00	2.1	11 17	8.7	....	....	....	....
15	1 46	2.6	11 40	8.6	....	....	....	....
16	2 30	3.2	11 50	8.5	....	....	....	....
17	3 16	3.8	11 46	8.3	....	....	....	....
18	4 06	4.5	11 47	8.3	....	....	20 01	5.4
19	0 00	5.8	5 00	5.0	11 57	8.3	19 29	4.8
20	1 26	6.2	5 51	5.5	12 11	8.5	19 44	4.1
21	2 30	6.6	6 31	6.0	12 29	8.7	20 03	3.3
22	3 24	7.0	7 07	6.5	12 50	8.9	20 30	2.5
23	4 17	7.4	7 41	7.0	13 11	9.2	21 03	1.8
24	5 12	7.7	8 13	7.5	13 30	9.4	21 41	1.3
25	6 16	8.0	8 46	7.9	13 51	9.6	22 24	0.9
26	7 46	8.3	9 30	8.3	14 17	9.6	23 12	0.8
27	9 06	8.6	10 36	8.5	14 49	9.4	....	....
28	0 01	1.0	9 40	8.7	12 16	8.6	15 25	8.9
29	0 52	1.4	10 03	8.8	13 47	8.3	16 02	8.4
30	1 45	2.0	10 16	8.8	....	....	....	....

The time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot above the average level of the lowest low water in each month of the year. This level is half a foot lower than the datum to which the soundings on the Admiralty chart of Victoria harbor are reduced.

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ANECDOTES OF GREENWAY

Mr. Greenway was the most tantalizing listener that ever was. A person might convey to him the most startling intelligence without being able to tell from the composed way in which he stroked his beard and rubbed the watch pocket of his waistcoat whether he was pleased or boiling with indignation, says the Toronto Globe. If it were a newspaper reporter, the interviewer would be surprised to find at the end of his dramatic recital that Mr. Greenway had pumped him dry, and had not uttered one word that indicated his views. As a rule, about the best the interviewer could do was to get a general impersonal affirmation or denial or a non-committal sentence, and he had to be content with that.

Only once did he give an interview on a political question in Toronto. He was then no longer premier, and the reasons for speaking were urgent. He had known the interviewer for many years, and he wanted to say something, but he feared the consequences. "Look here," he said, "it is very easy to give you an interview, but look at the consequences. For twenty years I have been coming to Toronto and by carefully building up a reputation for never giving an interview on anything else than the weather and the crops I can now come and go in peace. The newspaper men are all friendly, and cannot complain because they are all treated alike. But if I give you an interview, I will have to begin all over again to get back to where I am now."

Beneath that somewhat cold exterior there was a real supply of geniality and humor. One St. Patrick's day, before Mr. Speaker entered, Mr. Greenway came into the House wearing a huge bunch of shamrocks. "Here," said one of the members, "this will not go. The other day you precided at the Cornishmen's banquet, and now you are trying to palm yourself off as an Irishman." "I belong to all nations," said the premier blandly, as he passed along to talk to one of the Icelandic members.

Everybody knows of his habit of sitting in the House with his eyes half shut and twirling his thumbs in front of that expansive waistcoat. Strangers thought he was half asleep. It was just one of his ways of securing himself from interruption and extra effort while he watched how things went in the House. To those who watched him closely, as the reporters in the gallery had ample opportunity of doing, the thumbs were indicators. When everything was progressing smoothly the thumbs travelled slowly round and round upward and forward. Some opposition member made an interruption. The right thumb paused in mid air, so to speak, alert, straining to catch the next word. Mr. Speaker answered the interrupter. The thumbs travelled downward and backward smoothly and sedately as before. It was at such a time that Mr. Greneway turned the laugh on the then leader of the opposition. They were discussing a grant to a coal railway, and the opposition leader claimed the grant was largely wasted because the coal was no good. The minister under fire replied that the coal was first-class, and was even then burning in the furnace beneath the legislative chamber.

"Ah, that accounts for its being so cold here," retorted the opposition leader.

"Are you cold?" asked the premier, raising up with every appearance of interest.

"I should say it is unpleasantly cold here."

"Oh, well," returned the premier kindly; "that is characteristic of that side of the House."

Upon the occasion of one of Mr. Greenway's birthdays, a newspaper man prepared a biographical sketch of him. The next day he ventured to ask the subject what he thought of it.

"Very good, very good," said Mr. Greenway, "but you made one bad mistake."

"What was that?"

"You said I had twelve children."

"Well, is not that correct?"

"No. I have thirteen."

The German postmaster general has forbidden the delivery of post-cards made in the shape of beer glasses, pots, triangles, and also those with holes for the nose and eyes, like masks. Nevertheless, they are being largely sold in the streets.

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The Local Markets

Oils—	
Pratt's Coal Oil	1.65
Eocene	1.75
Meats—	
Hams (B. C.), per lb.	25
Bacon (B. C.), per lb.	25
Hams (American), per lb.	25
Bacon (American), per lb.	25@ 30
Bacon (rolled), per lb.	19¼
Shoulders, per lb.	15
Bacon (long clear), per lb.	20
Beef, per lb.	10@ 18
Pork, per lb.	12½@ 15
Mutton, per lb.	12½@ 20
Lamb, hindquarter	1.50@ 2.00
Lamb, forequarter	1.25@ 1.75
Veal, per lb.	12@ 25
Suet, per lb.	15
Farm Produce—	
Fresh Island Eggs	50
Eastern Eggs	35
Best Dairy Butter	30@ 40
Butter (Creamery)	40@ 45
Lard, per lb.	20
Western Canada Flour Mills—	
Purity, per sack	2.00
Purity, per bbl.	7.75
Three Star Patent, per sack	1.85
Three Star Patent, per bbl.	7.15
Hungarian Flour—	
Ogilvie's Royal Household, per sack	2.00
Ogilvie's Royal Household, per bbl.	7.75
Lake of Woods, per sack	2.00
Lake of Woods, per bbl.	7.75
Okanagan, per sack	2.00
Okanagan, per bbl.	7.75
Calgary Hungarian, per sack	1.75
Calgary Hungarian, per bbl.	6.75
Moose Jaw, per sack	1.75
Moose Jaw, per bbl.	7.00
Excelsior, per sack	2.00
Excelsior, per bbl.	7.75
Oak Lake, per sack	2.00
Oak Lake, per bbl.	7.75
Hudson's Bay, per sack	2.00
Hudson's Bay, per bbl.	7.75
Enderby, per sack	2.00
Enderby, per bbl.	7.75
Pastry Flours—	
Snowflake, per sack	1.70
Snowflake, per bbl.	6.75
O. K. Best Pastry, per sack	1.70
O. K. Best Pastry, per bbl.	6.50
O. K. Four Star, per sack	1.70
O. K. Four Star, per bbl.	6.50
Drifted Snow, per sack	1.70
Drifted Snow, per bbl.	6.50
Grain—	
Wheat, per ton	40.00@45.00
Wheat, per lb.	2¼
Oats, per ton	32.00@35.00
Barley	35.00
Whole Corn	45.00
Cracked Corn	48.00
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 7-lb. sk.	45
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 22½-lb. sack	1.25
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 45-lb. sk.	2.35
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 90-lb. sk	4.50
Oatmeal, 10-lb. sack	55
Oatmeal, 50-lb. sack	2.25
Rolled Wheat, 10 lbs.	60
Cracked Wheat, 10 lbs.	55
Wheat Flakes, per packet	35
Whole Wheat Flour, 10 lbs.	40
Graham Flour, 10 lbs.	40
Graham Flour, 50 lbs.	1.60
Feed—	
Hay (baled), new, per ton	16.00@18.00
Straw, per bale	75
Middlings, per ton	35.00
Bran, per ton	32.00
Ground Feed, per ton	35.00
Shorts	34.00
Poultry—	
Dressed Fowl, per lb.	25@ 30
Ducks, per lb.	25
Geese (Island), per lb.	20@ 25
Turkey, per lb.	30
Garden Produce—	
Cabbage, per lb.	3
Potatoes (local)	1.00
Potatoes (Ashcroft)	1.40
Onions, per bunch	5
Onions (Cal.), per lb.	3½
Spinach, per lb.	5
Carrots, per lb.	2
Cucumbers	5
Pumpkins, per lb.	3
Lemons	4.50@ 5.00
Walnuts (Cal.)	18@ 20
Walnuts (Eastern)	15
Apples, per box (local)	1.00@ 1.50
Apples, per box (imported)	1.25@ 1.75
Pineapples, per doz.	2.50@ 3.50
Cabbage, per lb.	2@ 2½
Cocoanuts, each	8@ 10
Ham	19
Bacon	21
Squash, per lb.	3
Green Peppers, per lb.	15

WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Carrots, per lb.	1@ 1½
Bananas, per lb.	5½@ 6
Pears	1.50@ 1.75
Sweet Potatoes	3
Potatoes (new), per ton	17.00..18.00
Butter (Creamery), per lb.	30@ 40
Butter (Dairy)	25
Eggs (ranch), per doz.	40
Eastern Eggs (selected)	30
Hay, per ton	20.00
Corn, per ton	43.00
Grapes (Malaga), per barrel	7.50
Grape Fruit	5.00
Oranges (Valencia)	5.00
Oranges (navel)	4.00
Onions	1½@ 1¾
Onions (Spanish), per lb.	2½
Dates, per pkg.	8½@ 9
Dates, bulk	7½
Oats, per ton (new)	33.00@35.00
Tomatoes (local), per crate	1.00@ 1.50
Peppers	2.00
Celery	60@ 75
Parsnips	2@ 2½

A TRAGIC AWAKENING.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 13.—When Mrs. John Brown, of Niagara street, awoke this morning she found her husband lying dead beside her. Mr. Brown was 55 years old. Heart failure was the cause of death.

Sheep's horns are used for shoeing horses in Iceland.

GRAIN MARKET.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Chicago, Nov. 13.—Wheat.—After a very puzzling market all day prices were a little higher at the close. Weather conditions continue cold and dry over winter wheat states with hundreds of reports daily to the effect that the crop is going into winter months with very low conditions, and in many sections without sufficient growth to insure its safety until spring. After all the large receipts northwest Minneapolis increases only 70,000 for the week and Duluth is estimated a stand-off on stocks. We advise buying wheat on any forced drop caused by local selling pressure so long as the concentrated holdings are undisturbed.

Corn.—This corn is acting very much as we have intimated except that the bearish sentiment in the local trade has petered out sooner than expected. Even with perfect weather the receipts have increased very slowly. We think there can be no mistake in taking hold of corn, and especially on a scale down if there is further local selling pressue.

Oats.—The big cash and cereal interests were against the prices of futures. Their selling was chiefly the cause of the break. The market recovered a little at the close because of strength in corn.

Provisions.—Those most interested in the market are apparently willing to have prices hold around present level until the run of hogs comes to an end, if there is such a thing.

Chicago, Nov. 13.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
Dec.	103	103⅜	102⅞	103¼
May	107⅛	107⅜	107⅛	107⅜
July	101¾	102	101⅝	101⅞
Corn—				
Dec.	62⅝	62⅝	62	62⅝
May	62¼	62⅜	62	62⅜
July	62	62	61½	62¼
Oats—				
Dec.	49¼	49¼	48⅞	49
May	51	51¼	50⅞	51
July	46⅞	46⅞	46¼	46½
Pork—				
Nov.	14.35	....	....	14.37
Dec.	14.12	....	....	14.45
Jan.	16.00	16.07	15.95	15.97
May	16.05	16.15	16.02	16.07
Lard—				
Nov.	9.20	9.20	9.17	9.20
Dec.	....	....	....	9.10
Jan.	....	9.17	9.10	9.10
May	9.22	9.27	9.22	9.20
Short Ribs—				
Jan.	8.40	8.40	8.25	8.45
May	8.58	8.55	8.52	8.52

Coeur D'Alene Stocks

(By Courtesy N. B. Maysmith & Co.)

	Bid.	Asked.
Alameda	3	4
Charles Dickens	1	1½
Gertie	2½	3¼
Humming Bird	6	8
Idora, pref.	2½	3
Missoula Copper	2½	3
Nabob	2½	3
O. K. Consolidated	1	2
Oom Paul	4	5
Rex (16 to 1)	5	8
Snowstorm	165	..
Stewart	50	95
Tamarack & Chesapeake	50	90
Wonder	2½	3¼

MINING STOCKS

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Spokane, Nov. 13.

	Bid.	Asked.
Alameda	2½	3¼
Copper King	1½	2¼
Gertie	2½	3¼
Humming Bird	6	6½
Lucky Calumet	3	3½
Missoula Copper	2½	3
Nabob	2½	3
North Franklin	2	4
O. K. Consolidated	1	2
Oom Paul	4	5
Panhandle Smelter	43½	44½
Rex	9½	9¾
Snowshoe	5	6
Snowstorm	170	172
Sonora	68	73
Tamarack	73	85
Wonder	2½	2¾
Can. Cons. Smelters	71	74
International Coal	62	65
Rambler Cariboo	17	21

COPPER MARKET

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Boston, Nov. 13.

	Bid.	Asked.
Adventure	9	9¼
Allouez	40½	41½
Atlantic	18½	19
Boston Cons.	17¾	17¾
Butte Coalition	28	28¼
Black Mountain	4	4½
Calumet & Arizona	125½	126
Centennial	35½	36½
Copper Range	81½	82
Cumberland-Ely	8	8¼
Daly-West	10½	11
East Butte	8	8¼
First National	8¼	8½
Granby Copper	106	107
Globe Cons.	7	7½
Greene Cananea	11¾	12
Hancock	10¾	11¼
Helvetia	3¾	4
Keweenaw	6½	6¾
Lake	15¼	15½
La Salle	15	15¼
Mass	6½	6¾
Bay State Gas	1	1 1-16
Michigan	14¾	15¼
Miami	13¾	13¾
Mohawk	70	71
Nipissing	11½	11½
Nevada Cons.	20¾	21
North Butte	88	88½
Osceola Copper	122½	122¾
Old Dominion	59½	59¾
Parrot Mining	29	29½
Quincy Copper	98½	99
Shannon Copper	18¾	18¾
Superior Copper	29½	29¾
Tamarack	85	86
Trinity	19¼	19½

NEW YORK STOCKS

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

	High.	Low.	Bid.
Allis Chalmers	13⅝	13¼	13½
Amal. Copper	87¼	86½	87¼
Amer. Car & Foundry	47¾	46½	47¼
Do., pref.	107¾	106½	..
Amer. Cotton Oil	37	36½	38
Amer. Ice	..	..	25½
Amer. Loco.	57¼	56½	57
Amer. Sugar	136	134½	135¾
Amer. Smelt.	97	95¾	96¾
Do., pref.	107⅞	107⅜	107½
Anaconda	53½	52⅜	53¼
Amer. Woollen	31⅞	31¼	31½
Atchison	96⅜	95¼	95⅞
Do., pref.	..	..	98
B. & O.	106⅜	106½	106½
Do., pref.	..	..	90
B. R. T.	54⅞	53⅞	54¼
C. P. R.	178¼	177⅞	178
Central Leather	28¾	28½	28¾
Do., pref.	..	..	100
C. & G. W.	9⅝	8½	8½
C., M. & St. P.	149½	146⅞	149⅜
C. & N. W.	172	171½	171⅞
C. & O.	47¼	46⅝	44½
Colo. Fuel & Iron	40⅞	39⅞	40¼
Colo. Southern	47	46	46
Do., 2nd pref.	64	63½	63⅞
Do., 1st pref.	69⅞	69⅞	69⅞
Corn Products	..	..	19½
Chicago & Alton	42	41½	42
D. & H.	..	..	177⅜
D. & R. G.	34⅜	32⅞	34½
Do., pref.	76	75	75⅜
Erie	35⅜	35¼	35⅜
Do., 2nd pref.	48½	48	48
Do., 1st pref.	49⅜	49	49
Illinois Central	146⅞	143⅞	146
Inter-Met.	..	..	11½
Do., pref.	..	..	33⅜
L. & N.	117	115½	116
Manhattan Ry.	144½	142½	143½
Mexican Cenral Ry.	18½	17⅜	17⅜
M., K. & T.	35⅜	35⅜	35⅞
Do., pref.	68⅞	68½	68⅞
Missouri Pac.	63½	62¼	63
National Lead	85½	84¼	84
Do., pref.	..	..	105
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	133	130	132¼
Do., pref.	..	..	147
Mackay	77½	76⅜	77
Do., pref.	..	..	72
Newhouse	7½	6⅜	7
Pacific Coast	..	..	90
N. Y. C.	116	114⅜	115¼
N. Y., O. & W.	..	..	49⅜
N. & W.	83⅞	83¼	83¾
Cons. Gas	150	145⅜	149⅜
North American	..	..	72½
N. P.	153⅜	152¼	153½
Pacific Mail S. S. Co.	29¾	29½	29½
Pennsylvania Ry.	130⅜	129⅜	130¼
People's Gas	100⅜	99¼	100
Pressed Steel Car	39⅞	39½	39
Reading	140⅜	138⅜	140¼
Do., 2nd pref.	..	..	88
Do., 1st pref.	..	..	88
Repub. Iron & Steel	29	28¼	28¾
Do., pref.	..	..	89
Rock Island	23½	22½	20½
Do., pref.	53¾	49¾	50¾
Gen. Elec.	158	154	157
St. L. & S. F., 2nd pref.	32¾	32¼	32¼
Do., 1st pref.	..	..	55
S. P.	118¾	116⅜	117¼
Do., pref.	120¾	119⅞	119⅞
Southern Ry.	26⅞	25½	26⅜
Do., pref.	61	60½	60⅞
Tennessee Copper	50	48⅞	49⅞
Texas & Pacific	32⅞	30⅞	32¼
T., St. L. & W.	36	35	35⅜
Do., pref.	60⅞	60	60½
U. P.	181¼	179¼	181½
Do., pref.	..	..	96
U. S. Rubber	36⅜	35⅜	36
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Iowa Central	30¼	29¼	29⅞

Total sales, 1,727,000.
Money, 2 per cent.

NEW YORK COTTON

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New York, Nov. 13.

	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan.	8.92	8.83	9.84-85
Feb.	....	....	8.84-85
March	8.91	8.90	8.90-91
April	....	....	8.80-81
May	8.87	8.77	8.77-78
June	....	....	8.72-74
July	8.81	8.70	8.71
Aug.	8.64	8.64	8.60-61
Nov.	....	....	8.86-95
Dec.	9.10	9.02	9.03-04

Steady.

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Alberta Coal .. Coke Co.	.11	.12
American-Canadian Oil	....	.09
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Bakeries, Limited	....	6.50
B. C. Packers, pfd.	58.00	75.00
B. C. Permanent Loan	125.00	150.00
B. C. Pulp & Paper	....	.75
B. C. Trust Corp.	....	90.00
Canadian Con. S. & R.	66.00	75.00
Canadian N. W. Oil	....	.67
Cariboo Camp McK.	.01½	.02
Diamond Vale C. & C.	.12	.15
Dominion Copper Co.	.90	1.25
Dominion Trust Co.	120.00	130.00
Granby	100.00	105.00
International C. & C.	.60	.64
Nicola Valley C. & C.	65.00	76.00
Northern Bank	90.00	95.00
Pacific Whaling	75.00	85.00
Portland Canal M. & D.	.26	.30
Royal Collieries	.33	.36
Sullivan	.01	.01½
Silica Brick	....	6.85
Van. Ice & C. S.	120.00	....
Western Oil	.35	.60

REEVE FINED FOR ASSAULT.

Vancouver, Nov. 13.—Reeve Rae, of South Vancouver, was to-day fined $20 and costs for assault on Councillor Timms by throwing him out of the council meeting last Saturday.

INTERIOR SEATS WON BY TORIES

(Continued from page 1.)

The following are the detailed results from the various polling stations in Kootenay and Yale-Cariboo:

Yale-Cariboo

Place.	Burrell.	Ross.	Bunting.
Spence's Bridge	25	7	4
Merritt	20	14	5
Keefers	3	6	0
Shuswap	15	11	0
Spuzzum	2	4	1
Three Valley	3	4	0
Lytton	41	11	1
Midway	33	25	2
Duck's	19	21	0
Notch Hill	18	25	6
Ashcroft	43	39	0
Eholt	38	9	6
Greenwood	132	120	46
Nicola	28	10	0
Dot	3	9	4
Stump Lake	8	8	0
Kamloops	320	196	31
Soda Creek	7	4	0
Lillooet	47	15	0
Enderby	98	72	13
Phoenix	81	101	88
Texas Creek	6	3	0
Clinton	23	5	0
Harper's Camp	6	9	0
Alexandria	6	5	0
Stanley	12	17	1
Barkerville	41	24	1
Fraser Lake	4	2	0
Stoney Creek	4	8	0
115-Mile House	9	14	0
150-Mile House	11	22	0
Wingdam	10	9	0
Sicamous	6	7	0
Malakwa	9	7	2
Salmon Arm	70	79	5
Chase	6	10	6
Mara	14	12	10
Quesnel	53	22	1
Quesnel Forks	8	5	0
Grand Forks City	192	97	53
Savonas	17	19	0
Pennys	5	4	0
North Fork	14	5	7
Kualt	5	11	0
Tappen	6	10	0
Keremeos	48	23	15
Hedley	48	63	10
Granite Creek	4	2	0
Princeton	61	31	10
Aspen Grove	6	17	0
Penticton	108	49	3
Kelowna	152	87	11
Westbank	5	11	3
Summerland	97	78	11
Peachland	66	23	3
Okanagan Landing	23	10	1
Vernon	301	223	40
Armstrong	173	95	2
Ivanhoe Mine	1	10	0
Canoe Creek	14	19	1
Pavilion	10	6	0
Celesta	2	1	8
Cascade	13	5	4
Fife	7	4	0
North Bend	19	12	1
Whalen Schoolhouse	16	8	1
Lumby	41	47	2
Hat Creek	11	15	0
Totals	2742	1958	416

Majority for Martin Burrell over Duncan Ross, 784.

Kootenay

Place.	Goodeve.	Curtis.	Davidson.
Kitchener	13	5	0
Jaffray	25	13	1
Michel	23	22	90
Baker	4	15	2
Wasa	7	5	0
Elko	15	5	3
Nakusp	32	14	6
Castlegar	12	5	2
Westly	7	3	0
Sirdar	12	6	1
Palliser	8	5	2
Albert Canyon	3	3	1
Glacier	14	12	4
Field	38	26	0
Windermere	15	8	0
Athalmer	11	11	8
Wilmer	27	15	3
Hosmer	38	31	11
Proctor	24	2	0
Waneta	19	4	0
Nelson	380	236	167
Galena	10	6	1
Hog Ranch	9	4	0
Brisco	13	18	0
Rossland	259	224	104
Fernie	116	129	155
Slocan Jct.	14	8	12
Rosebery	4	5	2
Sandon	22	7	41
Slocan City	41	28	26
Silverton	24	2	17
Fort Steele Jct.	4	5	0
Trout Lake	45	12	2
Ferguson	13	17	7
Silver Cup Mines	5	13	2
Illecillewaet	4	1	1
Rogers Pass	7	14	2
Golden	69	64	1
West Fernie	2	7	18
Moyie	60	63	85
Trail	159	88	43
Three Forks	6	1	11
New Denver	38	18	12
Camborne	18	8	0
Beaton	15	11	0
Arrowhead	50	40	8
Beavermouth	5	2	0
Revelstoke	294	150	96
Ymir	15	12	18
Salmo	17	12	17
Sirdar	12	16	1
Coal Creek	27	22	105
Gatewood	2	3	1
Kaslo City	88	71	19
Whitewater	14	13	17
Harrop's	7	5	0
Creston	72	27	2
Rykert's	4	3	0
Erickson	4	11	0
Fruitvale	4	1	0
Erie	12	2	5
Crow's Nest	3	0	1
Kimberley	6	6	0
Wattsburg	22	6	0
Marysville	12	17	5
Fort Steele	26	27	0
Wardner	34	19	0
Mayook	10	8	0
Fort Steele Jct.	4	5	0
Wasa	7	5	0
Baker Lbr. Co.	4	15	2
Wycliff	6	5	0
Lardo	4	3	2
Poplar	12	4	3
Gerrard	13	13	0
Comaplix	11	9	2
McGuigan	3	2	12
Halcyon	4	2	0
Pingston Creek	2	6	0
St. Leon	2	3	0
Cranbrook	538	405	131
Ainsworth	15	13	4
Blue Bell	6	10	9
China Creek	2	1	0
Totals	3067	2162	1203

Majority of A. S. Goodeve over Smith Curtis, 905.

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ENGLISH CAPITAL AND CANADIAN INVESTMENTS

Lord Northcliffe Deals With Important Problem of the Dominion.

The need of capital for the development of Canada is known best by those who have travelled most. The need, perhaps, is not so much in relation to enterprises under way as to those struggling as puny commercial babies. The want, too is more concerned with enterprises as yet unborn. For capital for going concerns there appears to be no strenuous demand. They are the ungrasped opportunities for investment which cry most loudly. And one day the call will be heard and heeded. To answer it, one need only possess cash and self-interest. That is the reply at its narrowest.

Lord Northcliffe's address to the Canadian Club of Toronto last week, says the Monetary Times, well sums up the conditions under which this country may look in Britain for capital. John Bull likes security his lordship said, but at the same time he is looking always for more than four per cent, investments. Lord Northcliffe hinted also that British capital had other fish to fry than those of Canadian origin.

Railroads, electric traction, land development and mining, are absorbing millions of English pounds. John Bull is putting fistfuls of money in the Far East, in South America, and in Africa. This reference was probably a sly dig at the manner in which the Dominion has attempted sometimes to attract money from across the Atlantic. As can be gauged from recent Canadian flotations in London—safe and sound enterprises were concerned—our country's credit stands high, and the British investor is willing to aid in our development. It is the carelessly worded invitation that has jarred monetary nerves abroad: "We have the goods you ought to buy; you can inspect them." When a man has before him a dozen channels for investment, it is the one possessing the safest appearance and the most inviting entrance which draws the money. To obtain capital one cannot throw down a proposition, in front of the prospective investor, in an if-you-don't-like-it-you-can-lump-it style.

To the writer Lord Northcliffe put it this way: "You all know probably that you cannot get along without British capital." Which is a somewhat insular dictum. The reply was that the country would like to think in that strain. In this world it is possible to live without much which, superficially, appears an absolute necessity. One instance was given—Cobalt. There was a time when capital in that region was sorely needed. Welcome it is now. At Cobalt's beginning one man was on the spot; another was over the wall; and the third across the pond. The Canadian and the Yankee went in and pulled out interests in some excellent mining properties. Meanwhile, London was incredulous; it began to think that the Dominion had taken a dose of imaginative gas. London, it may be argued, is careful when mining investments are concerned. South Africa and Siberia afford instances which refute. In investment circles the requirement of too much security sometimes kills opportunity. A too lengthy search for more than the four per cent. investment may allow the six per cent. to escape. One cannot dilly-dally where good things are concerned.

Canadian impressions of the British investor, Lord Northcliffe divided into two classes. That John Bull is merely a grasping bondholder, is one; that he is an old fellow easily played with, is the other. The most important his lordship overlooked—that regarding ignorance of opportunities in the Dominion. This is a passing obstruction to the incoming of British and foreign capital; but in the past it has acted as an effective barrier. Only the other day an otherwise highly educated Britisher inquired: "What sort of a city is Alberta?" a question entitled to rank with that of a Liverpool post office official, who asked a Canadian banker, "Where is Montreal?" These are minor instances. Magnify them into the founts of knowledge concerning our resources. Canada has been known abroad largely by way of generalities. To talk of us and ours as Canada was deemed sufficient. Forgotten it was that besides being a nation within a nation, we have nations within our nation—a commercialized and financialized example of wheels within wheels. Canada prefers that the Britisher first gain correct impressions of our resources and investment opportunities. That having been done no need will exist for an appeal. British capital will flow this way without any financial engineering.

USEFUL BULLETIN.

A very interesting and useful brochure has been received entitled, "Farmer's Foes and Their Remedies." It was compiled by J. R. Anderson, formerly deputy minister of agriculture, previous to his retirement. It is illustrated and is largely made up of material gathered from the writings of scientists who have made observations of the various pests dealt with. The purpose of the bulletin is to afford a description in a succinct form of those pests which are prevalent, reported, or are likely to be introduced into the province. The natural enemies of each has also been set forth and the remedies prescribed by competent authorities, or which have been found by experience to be most effective. The book should be in the hands of every fruit grower and farmer.



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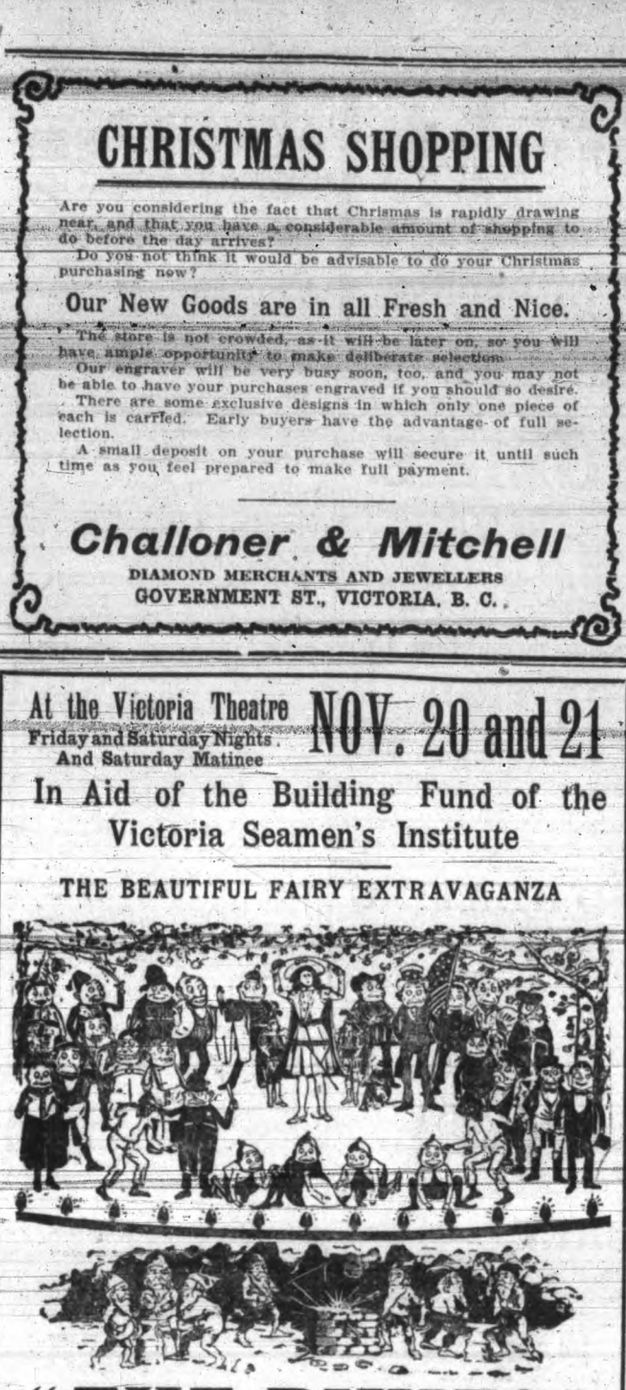
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SOCIAL EVENTS

Miss Wood, of Duncan, is in town.

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K. D. Munro, of Prince Rupert, is in the city.

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Mrs. W. R. Robertson, of Vancouver, is visiting friends here.

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Mrs. Keating is spending a few days with friends in Vancouver.

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Miss Symes and Miss De Lett left this morning for a visit to Vancouver.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. D. O'Brien, of Butte, Montana, who are touring the coast cities, are in Victoria.

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E. R. Rowand left this morning for Toronto, where he will make his home. He is accompanied by his son.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Neville Armstrong, of Shawnigan Lake, accompanied by Miss Armstrong, are spending a few days in town.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Sweet, who have been guests in town for the past three weeks, left this morning for Vancouver, en route for their home in Winnipeg.

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Miss Amy Angus, who accompanied her sister, Mrs. R. T. Rogers to Vancouver, after the latter had spent a few days here, was a guest at a largely attended "At Home" given by Mrs. Leslie H. Wright, of Barclay street.

ALBANY RITCHIE.

Warm Praise From Adelbert Courvencelles—Recital To-morrow Night.

The Express of Liege referring to a concert given by Albany Ritchie during his tour of Europe, says over the signature of Adelbert Courvencelles:

"The postponement of the Ritchie concert until this Thursday had the excellent result of permitting the musical public to hear this artist, without neglecting Wednesday's beautiful concert. Both performances drew large audiences. Mr. Albany Ritchie was preceded by the aureole, which his masters (our compatriot) Thomson and Sevcik made for him. From the first measures of the Symphonie Espagnole of Lalo, Mr. Ritchie commanded his audience by his playing, which was of great purity, beautiful shading and of an absolute sureness. His right hand, that which in power, mellowness, delicacy of attack, seems to be the mirror of the executant's musical soul, possesses an incisive accent which classes the artist among the excellent violinists. The tone is full, ample, sympathetic generous. As to the left hand — the artisan of playing—it possesses all the qualities of precision, velocity and of desirable correctness. These qualities are best noted in the difficult Scherzando of the same work, and in the finale. The Chaconne of Bach, for violin alone, is a better gem than merely the question of style. One feels, in the artist's playing, the reflection of his clear intelligence, placid and lucid, more than of a powerfully emotional soul. Nevertheless, this marvellous work of the master of Eisenach was too well rendered to leave much place for criticism. Let us sum up by saying what a sincere success the public gave him, after the Chaconne, which a large execution of the Mendelssohn Concerto was permitted to confirm. After the final movement he was greatly applauded."

Mr. Ritchie will appear at the Victoria theatre to-morrow evening.

The programme for the recital follows:

1. Concerto, F Maj. ..... Ed. Lalo
   Recit. Allegro.
   Andantino (Romance).
   Allegro Con Fuoco (Finale).
2. (a) Romance ..... Sinding
   (b) Serenade ..... Drdla
   (c) Mazurka ..... Zarzycki
3. Chaconne ..... J. S. Bach
   (Violin alone).
4. Havanaise ..... Saint-Saens
5. (a) Ave Maria ..... Schubert-Wilhelmj
   (b) Tarantelle ..... Wieniawski

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GIVES "AT HOME" IN HONOR OF BRIDE

Mrs. David Spencer Entertains at Her Beautiful Home on Moss Street.

One of the most pleasant social events of the season was the "at home" given by Mrs. David Spencer and her eldest daughter, Mrs. Frank Grant, at the former's beautiful home Lan Derwen, Moss street, yesterday afternoon in honor of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. T. A. Spencer, of Vancouver.

Mrs. David Spencer received her guests in an exquisite gown of grenat silk in which she looked very sweet and stately. She was assisted by the bride, and guest of honor Mrs. T. A. Spencer, Mrs. Frank Grant, Miss Sarah Spencer, Mrs. and Miss Teague, and Mrs. Chris Spencer.

The bride wore a dainty Paris creation of apricot—silk embroidered cashmere made empire style with touches of pale blue. A necklace of pearls and brilliants completed a most becoming and elegant toilet. Miss Sarah Spencer, who yesterday made her debut bow to Victoria society, having just completed her college course this summer, looked very dainty and pretty in silk frock of rose and silver in shot effect made empire style. Mrs. Frank Grant wore a very handsome plum-colored silk, and Miss Teague a most becoming mauve. Mrs. Chris Spencer looked beautiful in an empire gown of grenat silk, and large black hat. Mrs. Winch, of Vancouver, a personal friend of the bride, looked after the ices, and wore a lovely gown of ashes of roses silk with diamond ornaments. Miss Agnes Spencer appeared in a most becoming dress of black chenille spotted tulle over white taffeta, and Miss Mary Spencer in a reseda green silk shot with silver. Miss Muriel Grant in a dainty white frock made a charming little door-keeper.

The drawing room was a perfect bower with white chrysanthemums which in conjunction with the pale green room and softly shaded lights, made an exquisite picture.

In the dining room, the color scheme was carried out most effectively with yellow and green, large strands of the smilax pendant from the chandeliers to the table, in the centre of which stood an immense bowl of yellow chrysanthemums.

The tea rooms were in charge of Misses Agnes and Mary Spencer, assisted by Miss Margaret Lowe, Miss Goodacre, Miss Lovell, Miss Richards, Misses Edna and Gladys Spencer, the Misses McCullough and Miss Elford.

A few of those present were: Bishop and Mrs. Perrin, Rev. and Mrs. Holling, Mrs. J. A. Sayward, Mrs. H. A. McLean, Mrs James Foreman, Mrs. Thos. Hooper, Mrs. Ford, Miss Redfern, Miss Smith, Miss Martin, Mrs. Campbell, Miss Wootten, Mrs. Armson, Mrs. Gideon Hicks, Mrs. and Miss Sherritt, Mrs. Caldwell, Mrs. MacDonald, Mrs. Alfred Harvey, Mrs. Shandley, Miss Watkins, Mrs. John Nelson, Mrs. Pinch, Mrs. O. H. Nelson, Mrs. Wm. Templeman, Mrs. and Miss McTavish, Miss Kitchen, Miss Bell, Mrs. Abraham Smith and Miss Smith, Misses Williams, Mrs. W. D. McCulloch, Mrs. Marvin, Mrs. Ernest Hall, Mrs. John Elford and Miss Elford, Mrs. F. G. Richards, Mrs. Goodacre, Mrs. W. H. Bone, Mrs. A. H. Mitchell, Miss Mitchell, Mrs. Dunbar, Mrs. Whittier, Mrs. Lovell and Mrs. Bert Williams.

MUSICAL PROGRAMME.

Concert to Be Given in St. John's Schoolroom To-Morrow.

The following programme of Handel and Haydn music will be rendered by the Ladies' Musical Club at St. John's schoolroom to-morrow afternoon, commencing at 3.30:

Piano Duet—Symphony ..... Haydn
Minuetto.
Trio.
Finale.
Miss Netta Reilly and Miss Eleanor Robson.

Vocal Solo—He Shall Feed His Flock. ..... Handel
Mrs. Gideon Hicks.

Piano Solo—Sonato in A Flat Major .. .. Haydn
Allegro Moderato.
Adagio.
Finale—Presto.
Mrs. Hermann Robertson.

Vocal Solo—
(a) My Mother Bids Me Bind My Hair ..... Haydn
(b) Ch'io Mai vi Possa ..... Handel
Miss Cordelia Grylls.

Vocal Solo—On Mighty Pens ..... Haydn
Mrs. Briggs.

Trio for Piano, Violin and Violincello in C Major ..... Haydn
Allegro.
Andante.
Finale—Presto.
Mrs. Harry Young, Benedict Bantly, Mr. Foot.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Nov. 13.—5 a. m.—An important high barometer area with a centre of 31 inches in Dakota covers the continent from Vancouver Island to the Great Lakes. Moderate winds prevail on the Coast, and fair weather is general. The temperature is only a few degrees above zero in the prairie provinces.

Forecasts.

For 36 hour sending 5 p. m. Saturday.

Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and cold at night.

Lower Mainland—Light winds, fair and cold at night.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.37; temperature, 41; minimum, 39; wind, 6 miles N.; rain, .05; weather, part cloudy.

New Westminster—Barometer, 30.42; temperature, 34; minimum, 32; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, clear and fog.

Nanaimo—Wind, calm; weather, clear and fog.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.50; temperature, 32; minimum, 30; wind, 6 miles S.W.; weather, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles N. W.; weather, cloudy.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.50; temperature, 6; minimum, 6; wind, 6 miles W.; snow, fence; weather, clear.

—A meeting of the Anti-Tuberculosis Society will be held at the city hall on Monday next, November 16th, at three o'clock.

A REALLY TRULY BEAR STORY

A Bed-Time Story for the Babies by Marguerite Evans.

I told you once before about a little boy called Harry who kept himself warm on a bitter cold night by pretending that a bear chased him. Now I'm going to tell you a story about Harry and a real bear.

One evening when Harry and his papa, Mr. Wardlowe, had come home from a neighbor's with a load of wheat and oats which they had been getting chopped for feed for the cattle, it began to rain, and as the roof on the shed was very leaky, Mr. Wardlowe said he would put the chopping—where do you think? Why, in the house! Now, wasn't that a funny place? But then you see it was just a little plain house on the prairie where the wheat is grown that makes flour, out of which bread and buns, and pies and cakes, are made for the Victoria people.

This house hadn't any rug on the floor, or curtains on the windows, or any nice things in it at all—but then, you see, the little boy's mamma hadn't come there yet, or things would have been very different.

The stove was in one corner of this house, and the bed where Harry and his father slept, was in another, and the table in another, so you see there was room in the fourth corner for the bags of chopping. When it was piled up there it made a nice bed for Harry, and after he had supper and his papa was reading the paper he lay down on the bags and was just about asleep when he heard a queer sort of grunting noise outside the door.

"There's that old pig of Heartley's back again, papa," he said, sitting up and rubbing his eyes.

"I wish Heartley would keep his stock at home," Mr. Harlowe said quite crossly, "but I may as well go out and chase it away first as last, I suppose, for it would root around all night."

He picked up the broom, and opening the door, struck something that was lying close to it, a good knock with the brushy part of it.

Then what do you think? Why a great big, black animal commenced to get up, and up, and up, till it stood right on its hind legs.

Harry didn't know what it was, but his papa did—and he ran away from the house as fast as ever he could, and the bear—for it was a really, truly, big black bear, that had been chased up out of the thick underbrush of the valley by a prairie fire—dropped down onto its four feet again and ran after him. It was pretty dark outside, and Harry couldn't see very well what was happening, and he was dreadfully scared that the bear would catch his papa, so he lighted the lantern and it didn't take him long, I can tell you, and ran outside with it.

Then he saw his papa coming back towards the house, so he ran too, and then threw the door wide open and his papa got in, and Harry slammed the door in the bear's face.

But the bear wasn't going to be stopped by the door, he just stood up on his hind legs and struck it with one of his front paws, and made a big splinty hole in it.

Harry's papa had got his breath by this time, though, and he managed to say, "put out the lights!"

Harry blew out the lamp, but the lantern was hard to put out, like most lanterns are, so he just turned it down low and set it on the floor, and he was pretty glad afterwards, I can tell you.

But what do you suppose his papa was doing? You'll think it a queer thing, but he was carrying the bags of chopping out of the corner and piling them against the door, where the bear was knocking for them to let him in.

The bear was feeling pretty cross, you see, and he wanted in dreadfully, so he made a claw at one of the bags through the hole he had made in the door, and then a funny thing happened. The dusty meal flew out of the torn bag and made him sneeze.

The old bear didn't like that at all, so he got away from there in a hurry, and Harry and his papa heard him trying to climb up at the end of the house.

"Can't you shoot him, papa, if I hold the lantern for you to see?" asked the little boy.

"No; I lent my gun to Hartley, worse luck," his father answered. "I guess there's nothing for it but take to the open, my boy; he will be on the roof in another minute.

"I know, papa! I know what to do," almost screamed the child, "I'll shake the lantern at him through the pipe hole on the roof, if you'll stand on the stove and hold me up!"

Mr. Wardlowe hastily pulled out the stove-pipe, which served as a chimney, and climbed up on the stove. Harry climbed after him with the lantern which was turned up as high as it would go, and made a very bright light.

His father held him an his shoulder and he put his head through the pipe hole in the roof, and what do you think he saw? Why, two big, glaring eyes right opposite him.

He pulled up the lantern and swung it around his head, and yelled as loudly as ever he could, "Go away, old bear; go away, you nasty old bear!"

And would you believe it, the bear really did go away.

Harry and his father listened, and listened, for ever so long, but the bear didn't come back, so at last they put out the light and went to bed.

When they wakened up the next morning the sun was shining, but at first Harry couldn't think what in the world the bags were piled up against the door for.

When he remembered he snuggled up just as close to his papa as ever he could get, and covered his head with the bed clothes, and what do you think he did? Well, he began to cry. Now, wasn't that a queer thing to do? But he was only a little five-year-old boy, after all, although he had acted the part of a man the night before.

His papa understood, though, and put his arms around him tight, and didn't say a word for ever so long, and at last Harry uncovered his head and stroked his papa's face with his little brown hands, and said: "I'm g-glad the b-bear d-didn't g-get you—papa."

"I'm glad, too, if only for your sake, my little man, but I guess if you hadn't thought about the lantern, the bear would have had us both."

Then they got up and started a fire, and while they were eating their breakfast, who should come along but their neighbor, Heartley, and what do you think he told them? Why, that he had shot a tremendous big black bear in his bluff that morning.

Before his papa could speak, Harry said he guessed they would have shot him first if their gun had been at home.

Then what do you suppose Mr. Heartley did? Why, when he skinned the bear he brought its hide over and presented it to Harry, because he thought he had the best right to it. Wasn't that nice of him?

Harry keeps it on the floor in front of his bed, and it's nice and warm to stand on when he is getting dressed or undressed.

A WESTERN PLAY.

"The Squaw Man," Which Comes Monday is Enjoyable Production.

In "The Squaw Man," which comes to the Victoria theatre on Monday night, November 16th, with Dustin Farnum in the title role, Edwin Milton Royle has written a drama in which there is much stirring incident and has mingled the tragic and lighter shades of life in the right proportions. The play tells a story that is full of throbbing interest that often becomes intense. Its glimpse of English life in the upper circles is followed by a picture of ranch life in the west that is breezy and natural. Its action is spirited, without being overdrawn, and generally its lines are meaty, and nowhere does it become "talky" or tame. Much of its incident is new and in theme and treatment it is far above many of the latter-day successes, so far as morality is concerned.

The leading role of "The Squaw Man" is admirably suited to Mr. Farnum, and there is every indication of the part being one of his greatest successes. Liebler & Co., the managers of the enterprise, have given Mr. Farnum an exceptionally strong supporting company including Mary B. Conwell, Logan Paul, Mitchell Lewis, Horace Mitchell, Harry Sedley, Katherine Fisher, Brinsley Shaw, Maud Hosford, William Frederic, Matt B. Snyder, George Deyo, Phillips Smalley, Ruth Lloyd, Edith Perchet and George H. Wender.

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News From Four Corners of B. C.

Interesting Happenings Gleaned From All Sources in the Province.

SAYS PROVINCE WILL BE ENVY OF WORLD

General Manager of C. P. R. Western Lines Predicts Era of Prosperity.

Vancouver, Nov. 12.—That the eyes of all eastern Canada and the States are turned toward British Columbia, and that the natural resources and industries of this province are meeting with deserved recognition, is the opinion of George J. Bury, general manager of western lines of the Canadian Pacific railway, who is visiting Vancouver.

When interviewed in his private car Mr. Bury was asked as to the grain crop already inspected, and replied:

"The northwest grain dealers estimate the wheat crop to be 99,000,000 bushels, which, excluding that required for seeding and for interior mills, leaves a balance of 79,000,000 bushels for export. Up to the present over 30,000,000 bushels of wheat have been inspected, and by the close of navigation over 40,000,000 bushels will have been delivered at the lake front. In addition to the wheat, there is estimated to be 111,000,000 bushels of other grains.

"As wheat at the present time is worth over $1 a bushel, and oats 39 cents, it requires no expert mathematician to figure out the enormous amount of money that is flowing into the Northwest, and British Columbia must of necessity benefit by the prosperity of the Northwest, as the people of the prairies require your lumber, fish, fruit and other products.

"Now that conditions are settled through the termination of the elections, I look for a period of prosperity, and the prospects for immigration into Canada are splendid.

"British Columbia is now attracting the attention of every one, and in addition to the recognition of this province's magnificent resources of minerals, timber, etc., her fisheries, fruit, and agricultural possibilites are being rapidly realized.

"I have heard the argument that your timber should be preserved, and while I believe you have a very valuable asset in this which it would not be wise to sell too cheaply, still it must be recognized that as your timber is cleared off you will have much fertile land suitable for agriculture. As the timber is cleared from the valleys, the immigrants will flow in and occupy these vacant spaces, and in time build up an agricultural province that will be the envy of the world, for it is well known that the richest nations are agricultural nations."

Mr. Bury, while in the Okanagan valley, was so impressed with that district that he purchased a farm anticipating higher prices in the near future.

SAW MILL RECONSTRUCTED.

Fraser River Plant Again in Operation —Eight Vessels Chartered.

New Westminster, Nov. 12.—The Fraser River Mill, Limited, have under charter eight deep sea vessels to load lumber at their mills here for foreign ports. After a thorough reconstruction of their mill and plant this industry is now operating once more, and is daily increasing its output of manufactured lumber and getting its shipping yards once more filled up ready to supply the lumber markets of the world. In 1906 and 1907 the Fraser River mills loaded nearly a score of large wind-jammers and cargo steamers. During the past year very little export trade beyond a few shipments to Mexico has been done from the Fraser River owing to the big export mill being closed down for reconstruction purposes. Now that this plant, with its largely increased capacity, is being operated again and has already chartered eight lumber carrying vessels a noticeable revival in the shipping of the port of New Westminster may be looked for. The first vessel to arrive in port will be the Chilean barque Ivanhoe, 1,000 tons, due to reach here on Wednesday, November 25th, to load for South America.

DECORATES MINE WORKERS.

Alfonso Bestows Order Half Mile Under Ground.

King Alfonso recently visited the Figols coal mining district. He drove in an open wagonette, accompanied by Senor Maura, the premier, and prominent persons of Barcelona, among them Marquis Comillas and Senores Guell and Olano.

His Majesty was applauded by the workmen. He descended a 750 metre shaft and visited the San Jose gallery. At the bottom he was cheered by about three hundred miners. Several of the workers were decorated by the King with the Order of Isabel.

MARRIED IN SICK ROOM.

Bride Thought to Be Dying, But is Recovering.

A rather pretty little romance bids fair to be realized on Ossington avenue, Toronto. October 2nd had been set as the wedding day of Miss Maud Hopkins, 20 Ossington avenue, and Mr. Ernest Fawcett, 68 Dundas street, but on that day the bride was so seriously ill that she was not expected to survive. At 2 o'clock in the morning the doctor expressed the opinion that the young lady had only a couple of hours to live. Rev. J. D. Fitzpatrick of Wesley church had even been called to administer baptism, but he remained to perform a marriage ceremony. The bride was scarcely strong enough to make the responses.

However, the young lady is now on the road to health, and in a few weeks the doctor thinks she will be as well as ever.

BELLA COOLA LOOKS FOR BUSY SEASON

Many Bound for Interior Will Go by That Route.

(Special Correspondence of the Times.)

Bella Coola, Nov. 6.—Harry Morgan, of Ootsa Lake, has come down here for his last trip of the season. He has done a lot of packing this year, and says that the Bella Coola route is by far the better. Some of the Ootsa Lake men tried the Hazelton route, but it is too far and goods are high, so that next year will see more travel than ever from Bella Coola into the interior. It would benefit the whole district if a good trail was made from Bella Coola away far up into the interior. The roads during spring and fall are so soft that it is hard on horses. Mr. Morgan has been packing for Mr. Collie and his party.

There was a very heavy fall of snow on October 28th, followed by a cold wind and four degrees of frost have been registered. It is very early to have snow.

On Saturday, October 24th, a sale of work was held at the lower schoolhouse, and in spite of bad roads a large number were present.

There is great need of a doctor in the valley, as the nearest is Dr. Large, at Bella Bella, about 65 miles away.

Mr. Collie and party, who went up into the interior last May, returned on October 28th. They report all well and that they have had a good summer.

Ducks, geese and grouse have been plentiful during the last few weeks, and some fine trout have been caught in the rivers and streams. Several bear have also been shot. Harry Morgan shot a black bear on the road from the wharf to the hotel.

Messrs. Morrison, Taylor, Kenyon, Anderson, McFarlane and Gibson have just returned after a very pleasant trip into the interior. Messrs. Taylor and McFarlane were hunting big game and were very successful, securing two very fine caribou, two grizzly bears, one black bear and one mountain goat. They saw plenty of big game and expect to hunt again next year. The rest of the party went through to Tatatla Lake to visit old friends.

J. R. Morrison, who has spent upwards of 12 years in Bella Coola district, has left on a visit to his old home in Scotland.

Friday, October 30th, being the 14th anniversary of the landing of the Norwegian colony, a public meeting was held at Wayensber to celebrate the event. Mr. Nordschon occupied the chair. A number of the settlers told of the early days, of heavy work clearing the land and the packing of all supplies. In those days there was no sawmill, and all the houses were built of logs. Now, however, a number of frame houses are being built, and a great change has come over what was once a heavy forest. No doubt the valley will supply many of the Coast towns with fruit and vegetables.

OUTLOOK BRIGHT FOR LUMBER INDUSTRY

Optimistic Note Sounded at Meeting of Lumber Chamber of Commerce.

Vancouver, Nov. 12.—The annual meeting of the British Columbia Timber and Forestry Chamber of Commerce was held in O'Brien hall last evening. Dealing with the conditions of the trade, E. P. Bremner, re-elected to the office of president, stated that in his opinion the provincial government was making good in its endeavors to conserve the forest wealth of the province, and that its efforts to conserve this wealth from the devastations of fire were worthy of every commendation.

In the matter of changes in the Bush Fire Act, he announced that he had every confidence that at the next session of the legislative assembly such amendments would be introduced and passed as would meet the requirements of the situation.

A committee to represent the three affiliated associations, that is to say, the B. C. Forestry Association, the Loggers' Association and the Lumber and Shingle Manufacturers' Association, to draft an outline of suggested amendments to the act for submission to the government will be appointed.

The objects of the united societies, if they may be called such, were emphasized by the president in his address, and he urged upon the members of the local association to keep the resolutions of the specific society before them in their business enterprises and to seek to reach their realization.

The officers elect are: Hon. president, Wm. Shannon; president, E. P. Bremner; first vice-president, M. S. Logan; second vice-president, Wm. Ellis; secretary-treasurer, Wm. Clark.

There was considerable enthusiasm during the meeting, and a feeling that the lumber and timber industry in the province is on the eve of a new ere of prosperity.

STRAWBERRY VALE NEWS.

(Special Correspondence).

Strawberry Vale, Nov. 13.—John T. Fife, provincial manager of the Prudential Life Insurance Co., of Winnipeg, spent last week in the district. Mr. Fife was delighted with the place, its good roads, and thought nature had been very kind to this section of the country.

Messrs. Hakett & Mitchell have a contract to build a residence for Mr. Steedman on the waterfront.

Mr. Carsley has recnetly disposed of his five acres on Holland avenue for something over $4,000.

Chander Bros. are improving their property in Wilkinson cross roads.

Rudyard Kipling has one of the largest armories of pipes in England, and every one of them shows evidence of long and hard service

NANAIMO LODGES OF ODD FELLOWS MERGE

Combined Membership Totals 275—Distribution of Relief Fund.

Nanaimo, Nov. 12.—Nanaimo Odd Fellows met in force in their lodge room last night, the business of the meeting being the final amalgamation of the two local lodges Black Diamond No. 5 and Centennial No. 20.

All the members will be transferred to a main lodge and the business of the two pre-existing departments, its assets and liabilities assumed by the amalgamated lodge. The combined membership reaches the high total of 275. The assets amount to $30,000 and the yearly receipts approximate about $4,000. The large sum of $2,544 was disbursed by the two societies last year in sick relief to its members.

At last night's function speeches were made by Grand Master Fulton, of Ladysmith; District Deputy Grand Master Forrester, Supreme Representative D. G. Dalley and Past Grands F. Whiteside, W. H. Morton, Jas. Crossan and T. McGuckie. During the course of the evening an excellent supper was served and an enjoyable programme rendered.

The date of the establishment of the local I. O. O. F. lodges, and the charter members of the same at inauguration are as follows:

Sept. 23, 1874—Black Diamond No. 5—Charter members, S. F. Lewis, E. Quennell, John Pawson, Jas. McK. Sabiston, Geo. Booth.

June 8, 1899—Centennial, No. 20—Charter members, Geo. Cavalsky, F. W. McNeill, Milton McTaggart, Wm. Marshall, F. S. Whiteside, J. D. Devlin.

Feb. 11, 1892—Nanaimo Encampment No. 4—Charter members, E. Quennell, Jas. Crossan, Arch. McGregor, Jas. Price, Peter Sabiston, R. Rivers, Sam Andrews.

Feb. 10, 1892—Miriam Rebekah No. 3—Charter members, Geo. Norris, Geo. Lee, Jas. Crossan, Joseph Ganner, John Nord, E. Quennell.

LAID AT REST.

New Westminster, Nov. 12.—The funerals of the two motormen killed in Saturday's B. C. Electric Railway accident were held on Wednesday afternoon, that of Murdoch McDonald at 1:30 o'clock from the Orange hall and that of Jamieson at 3 o'clock, from the family residence at Sapperton, the Rev. E. G. Thompson conducting the service. Both funerals were attended by a number of officials and fellow employees of the B. C. Electric Railway Company and by the members of the Knights of Pythias of this city.

SAVED FROM DEATH.

Vancouver, Nov. 12.—Captain Groves, keeper of the Prospect Point light, and his son rescued a well-known Vancouver business man from drowning in the Narrows at about 7:30 o'clock on Monday night. There was a thick fog at the time, and the unfortunate man was clinging to an overturned boat. Captain Groves and his son rowed about in another boat guided by the man's cries for help, and finally located him and dragged him aboard.

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Notice is hereby given that I, Francis Ledingham, intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the City of Victoria, at its next sitting, for a transfer from me to George Stokes of my license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors by retail at the Princess Saloon, situate at the corner of Herald and Government streets, in the said City of Victoria.
Dated the 6th day of November, A. D. 1908.
FRANCIS LEDINGHAM.

CIVIC NOTICE.
The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable to construct the following works of local improvement on the streets hereunder mentioned, viz.:
1. Permanent sidewalks on both sides of Langford street, from Russell street, westerly to the intersection of the first Alley, and drain, grade and macadamize the same.
2. Permanent sidewalks on both sides of Alpha street, from Burnside road to Douglas street, and drain, grade and macadamize the same.
3. Permanent sidewalks on both sides of North Park street, from Blanchard avenue to Cook street, and drain, grade and tar macadamize the same; also to construct boulevards on both sides of said street, with curbs and gutters (including maintenance).
4. To grade, macadamize and drain Harrison street, between Fort street and Pandora avenue, and construct permanent sidewalks on both sides thereon, with curbs, gutters and boulevards (including maintenance).
5. To grade, macadamize and drain Cook street, from the south side of Pandora avenue to the south side of Pakington street, and boulevard same (including maintenance), with curbs and gutters on the east side of said street, from south side of Pandora avenue to the north side of Hilda street, and on the west side of said street from the south side of Pandora avenue to the north side of Pakington street.
6. Permanent sidewalk on the north side of Dallas road, from Douglas street to Government street, and from South Turner street to Montreal street.
7. Permanent sidewalk on the north side of Dallas road, between Government street and South Turner street.
And that each and all of said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Local Improvement General By-Law, and amendment thereto, and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council, in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of the said By-Law, upon each and every of said works of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property to be benefited by the said works, and the reports of the City Engineer and City Assessor aforesaid having been adopted by the Council.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the said reports are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas street.
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Victoria, B. C., City Clerk's Office, Nov. 5th, 1908.

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1 LOT, 21 Ampion St. $500
1 LOT, 3 Foul Bay Road $500
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TENDERS.
Tenders addressed to the undersigned at Ottawa, in sealed envelopes and marked on the envelopes "Tender for a New Hydrographic Steamer," will be received up to noon of the
TENTH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1908,
for the construction of a Twin Screw Steel Steamer, for the Hydrographic Service on the Atlantic Coast, of the following leading dimensions, namely: Length over all, 173½ ft.; breadth of beam moulded, 29 ft.; depth, 15½ ft.; to be delivered at Sorel, in the Province of Quebec.
Plans and specifications of this steamer can be seen at the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa, at the Offices of the Collectors of Customs, Toronto, Hamilton, Collingwood, Midland, Vancouver, B. C. and Sydney, N. S., and at the Agencies of the Department of Marine and Fisheries at Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Charlottetown, P. E. I., and Victoria, B. C.
The same plans and specifications can be procured by application from the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa, and from the Agency of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Victoria, B. C., up to the first day of December next.
Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque equal to 10 per cent. of the whole amount of the tender, which cheque will be forfeited if the person sending the accepted tender declines to enter into a contract with the Department or fails to complete the steamer. Tenders on letter paper will be considered. The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.
Newspapers copying this advertisement without authority from the Department will not be paid.
G. J. DESBARATS,
Acting Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries.
Ottawa, Canada, 27th October, 1908.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of PETER OAKES, Late of 114 Niagara Street, Victoria, B. C., Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Trustees and Executors Act, to all creditors of the estate to deliver on behalf of the executors, Hamilton Smith and Frank Worrell, to Mr. E. M. Johnson, at 62 Broughton street, Victoria, British Columbia, their agent, before the 21st day of November, 1908, full particulars of claims verified by statutory declaration. After such date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets according to law.
Dated the 19th day of October, 1908.
FRANK HIGGINS,
Law Chambers, Victoria, B. C.,
Solicitor for the Executors.

NOTICE

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TO LET—4 roomed cottage, on Head street. Apply J. Donegan.

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$2,300—$200 cash and $25 per month will buy 5 roomed cottage and two lots (60x120). Holmes, 575 Yates.

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WANTED—Smart, strong boy to learn the sheet metal business. Apply Patterson & Gotsch, 730 Yates street.

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WANTED—Messengers, with wheels. Apply Hasty Messenger Co., 1219 Langley street.

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WANTED—Apprentices to the dressmaking. Apply Mrs. M. Harding, 1161 Fort street.

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WANTED—2 experienced housemaids, at the "Aberdeen," 729 Yates. Apply any day between 7 and 8 p. m.

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Miscellaneous

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TO LET—Suite of nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, with large grounds, car passes door. Apply 600 Gorge road.

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FOR SALE—20 shares Silica Brick & Lime Co., $125. L., Box 213, Post Office.

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FOR FURNITURE, STOVES AND HEATERS, call at the Bargain Stores. A. J. Winstone, 1112 Blanchard street, near Yates. Phone A1380.

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FOR SALE—Revolver, 32 cal., $2.75; suit case, $2; Yukon gold rings, $4.50; ball-bearing roller skates, $2.50; children's roller skates, $1.75; heavy wool blankets, $2.50; wire fence stretcher, complete, $3.50; army overcoats, $3.50. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 56 Johnson street, four doors below Government. Phone 1747.

FOR SALE—Mill wood, $3; cordwood, first quality, $5.50; also dry slabs. F. G. Hull, 2804 Bridge St. Phone B124.

FOR SALE—One second-hand Huston trimmer, one Smith mortiser, one shaper, one ten-inch sticker, one small dynamo, one small engine. Apply Taylor Milling Company, 2116 Government street.

FOR SALE—Spring wagon, $20; buggy top, $10; 240 lbs. scales, $5. Box 343.

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FOR SALE—A few new buggies, latest style, second-hand buggies, wagons and carts, two good fresh calved cows; also all kinds of horses. Apply at I. J. J. Fisher's Carriage Shop, 642 Discovery street.

Property for Sale

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$1,150—1-3 cash, will buy 2½ acres, Gordon Head, 1 acre cleared, shack, balance 1 and 2 years. Holmes, 575 Yates.

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TIMBER—Before buying or selling timber in B. C. call and see my list, comprising more than 100 of the best properties, aggregating a total cut of twenty-five billion (25,000,000,000) feet. A. T. Frampton, Mahon Bldg., Victoria. Phone 1652.

FOR SALE—Gordon Head road, seven acres cleared land for $320 per acre; must be sold. Lee & Fraser, 11 Trounce avenue.

FOR SALE—160-acre farm on Galiano Island, 2½ miles from new government wharf, 75 acres of good land, 10 to 15 acres cleared, 25 acres slashed, 2 roomed shack, plenty of good spring water, a few fruit trees, a portion of land fenced, a good road to property. $700 has been laid out by former owner in clearing and fencing, coal right goes with the land, two companies own coal rights in the vicinity, plenty of good timber; $2,300 cash, $2,500, $1,500 down, balance to arrange. Apply 733 Broughton street.

FOR SALE—10 acres, house, out buildings, fruit trees, plenty of water. T. Morley, Swan Lake.

FOR SALE—Eighteen acres good fruit land, eight miles from Victoria; all kinds buggies, wagons and carts, horses and harness; also yoke young oxen, well broken, and twenty-five young pigs. I. J. J. Fisher, Carriage Shop, Discovery street.

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MODERN 6 ROOM HOUSE, within 10 minutes' walk of City Hall; $2,000 to $2,500 will be paid by client for suitable home. Must be on easy terms, say, $500 cash and balance at $25 monthly.

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FINE, NEW, MODERN, 8-ROOM HOUSE for rent.. .. .. $25.00

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FAIR HOUSE, 5 ROOMS; fair lot and easy terms.... .. .. $1,000

GOOD 5-ROOM HOUSE and large lot, on easy terms.... ..... $1,600

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PORT ANGELES—Going ahead. Buy your lots now from Holmes, 575 Yates.

$50 CASH and $12.50 per month will purchase choice building lots, $350 each. Holmes, 575 Yates.

PRINCESS AVE.—Large lot, $675; terms. Maysmith & Co., Mahon Bldg.

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PORT ANGELES—Now is the time to buy. For choice lots see Holmes, 575 Yates.

FOR SALE—Good lot, Grant street, $500; 1,000 acres, $20 per acre; cottage and store, $1,550; also many others at bargain prices. Hodgson, 612 Yates street.

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GOOD BUILDING LOT—Prospect road, close to Fort street and car line, good black soil, for quick sale $350; 3 acres, rich black loam, cleared and fenced, good for nursery, $3,500, liberal terms, 1 mile from City Hall. E. White, 636 Fort street.

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Rooms and Board

TO RENT—Furnished room, for one or two gentlemen; reasonable; close in. 749 Fisguard street.

COMFORTABLY FURNISHED ROOMS, 1011 Scoresby, second house from Vancouver, $5, $6 and $7 per month; board if required.

TO LET—Furnished rooms, with or without board, or for light housekeeping. 1903 Quadra St. Phone 250.

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A FEW newly furnished rooms from $8 per month, Blanchard St., one block from Library. Inquire Pandora Hotel.

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TO LET—Comfortable, well furnished rooms, quiet, pleasant home, close in, breakfast or use of kitchen if desired. 1017 Burdette avenue (one door past Vancouver street). Phone A1400.

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WANTED TO RENT—With or without option of purchase, 5 or more acres, fruit and berries, house, barn, near Victoria. Box 361, Times Office.

WANTED—A set of buggy harness. Send full particulars to Box 342, Times Office.

WANTED—Sewing, to go out by the day, experienced, first-class dressmaker, English. Apply Box 359, Times.

SMALL FARM WANTED—3 to 10 acres, improved, fruit and buildings, close to town. Send complete information, price, etc., Box 348, Times.

CLEAN cotton rags wanted at Times Office.

WOULD LIKE TO HEAR from owner having good paying business for sale. Not particular about location; please give price, reason for selling, and state when possession can be had. L. Darbyshire, Box 1821, Rochester, N. Y.

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GORDON HEAD ROAD—7 acres of cleared land for $320 per acre, easy terms.

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LOTS FOR SALE—On Ladysmith, Blackwood and Prior streets, on very easy terms.

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Lodges

ROYAL TEMPLARS OF TEMPERANCE meet in K. of P. Hall, cor. Pandora and Douglas, every 1st and 3rd Wednesday, 8 p. m.

COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 4, I. O. O. F., meets every Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock in Odd Fellows' Hall, Douglas street. R. W. Fawcett, Rec. Sec., 237 Government street.

COURT CARIBOO, NO. 748, I.O.F., Meets on second Tuesday and fourth Monday of each month in K. of P. Hall, corner Pandora and Douglas streets. Visiting Foresters welcomed. F. Sec., E. Parsons, Lee & Fraser, Trounce ave.; J. W. H. King, R. Sec., 1361 Pandora street.

COMPANION COURT FAR WEST, I. O. F., No. 279, meets first and third Mondays each month in K. of P. Hall, corner Douglas and Pandora streets. Isabelle Moore, Financial Secretary, 541 Hillside Ave., city.

K. OF P.—No. 1, Far West Lodge, Friday. K. of P. Hall, cor. Douglas and Pandora Sts. H. Weber, K. of R. & S. Box 544.

VICTORIA, NO. 17, K. of P., meets at K. of P. Hall every Thursday. D. S. Mowat, K. of R. & S. Box 164.

A. O. F., COURT NORTHERN LIGHT, No. 7305, meets at K. of P. Hall 2nd and 4th Wednesdays. W. F. Fullerton, Secy.

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$2,700—2½ ACRES, cleared and cultivated, five roomed cottage, Gordon Head.

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

Any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter section (160 acres, more or less) of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

DUTIES.—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter section alongside his homestead. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties.—Must reside six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price $3.00 per acre. Purchased homesteads may be acquired on any available lands on either odd or even numbered Sections south of Township 45, east of the Calgary and Edmonton Railway and the west line of Range 26, and west of the third Meridian and the Sault Railway line. Duties.—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth $300.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST MINING REGULATIONS.

COAL.—Coal mining rights may be leased for twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1.00 an acre. Not more than 2,560 acres can be leased to one applicant. Royalty, five cents per ton.

QUARTZ.—A person eighteen years of age and over having made a discovery may locate a claim 1,500 feet by 1,500 feet. Fee, $5.00. At least $100 must be expended on the claim each year, or paid to the Mining Recorder. When $500 has been expended or paid and other requirements complied with the claim may be purchased at $1.00 an acre.

PLACER MINING CLAIMS generally, 100 feet square. Entry fee, $5.00.

DREDGING.—Two leases of five miles each of a river may be issued to one applicant for a term of 20 years. Rental, $10 a mile per annum. Royalty, 2½ per cent. after the output exceeds $10,000.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the title to part of City Lots 405 and 406, Victoria, and in the matter of the "Quieting Titles' Act,"

Pursuant to an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia dated the 19th day of August, 1908, notice is hereby given that an application was made on behalf of Charles Edward Adams, of Rossland, B. C., John Bowy Adams and George Daniel Adams, both of Victoria, B. C., under the "Quieting Titles' Act" for a declaration of title to the northerly strip of Lots 406 and 405 in said city having a frontage of 25 feet on Broad street by a uniform depth from front to rear of 75 feet as shown on the official map of the said city, and any person having or pretending to have any title to or interest in the said premises or any part thereof is required within six (6) weeks from the first publication of this notice to file a statement of his or her claim with the District Registrar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia at Victoria, B. C., pursuant to the "Quieting Titles Act," otherwise the declaration of title will be granted as applied for.

Dated this 19th day of August, 1908.
CREASE & CREASE,
Solicitors for the Petition,
521 Fort Street,
Victoria, B. C.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Thursday, the 19th day of November, A.D. 1908, a meeting of the members of the incorporated society or corporation under the Benevolent Societies Act, known as the "Calvary Baptist Church," will be held at Victoria Hall, in the City of Victoria, at the hour of eight o'clock in the evening for the purpose of considering, and, if thought fit, to pass a resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the President, Secretary and Trustees of the said Society or Corporation to apply to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council for a change, by Order-in-Council, of the name of the Society or Corporation from the "Calvary Baptist Church" to the "First Baptist Church."

Dated this 19th day of October, A.D. 1908.
ANGUS GALBRAITH, Secretary.

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Capital $150,000, divided into 1,500 shares of $100 each, of which 750 shares are now offered for subscription at $100.

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AGENTS FOR VICTORIA: STEWART WILLIAMS & CO., Auctioneers and Agents, Victoria, from whom all particulars can be obtained. 'Phone 1324.

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BLENHEIM ORANGE APPLES, No. 1 stock, per box.....$1.50
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SHIPPERS OBJECT TO NEW ELEVATOR LAW

Large Interests in East Decide to Oppose Interstate Commerce Ruling.

Chicago, Ills., Nov. 13.—The large grain shipping interests of the Chicago Board of Trade decided yesterday to join forces with the eastern grain exchanges in opposing the Interstate Commerce Commission, prohibiting the payment by the railroads of an allowance for the transfer elevator service performed by the grain elevator companies. The railroads have served notice that they propose to obey the orders of the commission and that the payment of the allowances will cease after January 1st, although the board of trade itself has decided to remain inactive in the matter, being content to have the allowance moved providing it is removed at all other points.

Fifteen or twenty of the large companies owning extensive elevator facilities are decidedly opposed to having their revenues decreased in this way, which practically amounts to an increase in the rates on grain and will send a protest to the individual railroads and to the Interstate Commerce Commission, asking that the allowance charges be not cancelled until the litigation involving the case, as applied to the Missouri River cities, shall have been settled.

The eastern cities in the combine with the Chicago grain men, include Cincinnati, Toledo, Buffalo, Mansfield, Louisville, Indianapolis, Pittsburg and many other cities. The regular allowance that has been paid at Chicago for many years amounts to one-fourth of a cent a bushel and it is stated that if it were eliminated the saving to one large Eastern road alone would amount to about $500,000 a year.

HINDU ASSAULT CASE HAS BEEN CONCLUDED

Fine Inflicted as Result of Fight Over Possession of Stove.

The Hindu assault case, in which the Singhs have been mixed up, was brought to an end this morning by the fining of the three defendants. Off and on for nearly a month the troubles of a small group of Hindus working around the lumber mills have been engaging the attention of the police and court officials, and have occupied considerable time in the police court.

Bhutah Singh, who is alleged by his compatriots to be of a litigious turn of mind, made an unsuccessful charge of theft against four other Singhs, and this was followed up by one of the quartette, Sonta Singh, summoning Bhutah Singh, Luchman Singh and Atmah Singh for assaulting him.

The trouble on both sides arose over the attempted removal of a stove which each claimed the ownership of, and the friends of Sonta and Bhutah got drawn into the melee.

Magistrate Jay, after reading over the evidence carefully since Wednesday, stated this morning that he had come to the conclusion that there was an assault. He relied chiefly on the evidence of the only white witness, George Bell, an expressman, who had given his testimony in a very satisfactory manner. For the defendants it was argued that the assault was justified as being made in defence of their possession of a stove.

"It would be a most dangerous thing if these people were allowed to consider that an assault can be justified by trumping up a story of their ownership of some article," remarked His Worship.

The evidence was in favor of Sonta's claim that the stove was his, although there seemed to have been a joint use and enjoyment of it by several men. Actual possession of it, however, was in Sonta Singh, and Bhutah could not claim any right to prevent its removal. Bhutah had commenced the trouble and the others were not responsible to the same extent.

A fine of $10 and $9.50 costs was imposed on Bhutah Singh, and fines of $5 each on the other two. After the magistrate's decision had been conveyed to them by the interpreter, C. S. Moore, they paid up.

—The funeral of the late John Raymond, jr., took place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the residence of his father, 419 Belleville street. Rev. Mr. Sweet officiated.

—The Cedar Hill team which will play Victoria West on Clark's grounds, Mount Tolmie, to-morrow afternoon has been chosen and will line up as follows: Goal, Rev. T. A. Collison; backs, Vic. Wrinkle and McMorran; halves, Hill, Dawson and Wormold; forwards, Toms, Scott, Jones, S. Miller and Blazard; reserve, Newman; linesman, A. Collison.

City Superintendent Paul and Trustee A. B. McNeill leave for Revelstoke on Monday to represent the Victoria school board at the annual convention of the B. C. School Trustees' Association.

Berlin has a school for coachmen, in which drivers are taught how to get along in crowded city streets.

TWO DEAD IN COLLISION.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 13.—An eastbound freight train on the Wabash railroad ran into a switch engine at Springfield Junction south of this city to-day, killing W. N. Williams, fireman of the freight train, and Homer E. Waltz, of Brazil, Indiana, brakeman.

VACANCY IN CABINET.

Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 13.—It is rumored here that either Hon. T. M. Daly, who was defeated in Brandon, or Hugh Armstrong, member for Portage la Prairie, will be taken into the provincial cabinet to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Hon. J. H. Agnew, provincial treasurer.

DERBY GOLD CUP.

(Special to the Times).

London, Nov. 13.—The Derby Gold Cup was won to-day by Nondamin at 100-8. Gillie Callum, 20-1 was second and Sir Harry, 6-1 was third.

B. M. Humble, manager of the Empress hotel, left last night for the Mainland on private business, and will return to Victoria again almost immediately.

CANADIAN BANKER GETS BARONETCY

(Continued from page 1.)

are mainly due the privileges gained by the banks under that measure.

On the organization of the Canadian Bankers' Association in 1893, Mr. Clouston was chosen first president of that body but was unable to accept that position owing to other engagements. He has identified himself closely with many financial, business and philanthropic institutions and holds many important positions. Mr. Clouston is practically at the head of the banking business of Canada.

Sir Percy H. N. Lake.

Sir Percy Henry Noel Lake is 53 years of age having been born in 1855. Colonel Lake has for a number of years been connected with the militia and has been assistant quarter-master general for mobilization at army headquarters since 1899. He was educated at Uppingham and gazetted in 1873, took an active part in the Afghan war of 1878-79 as an assistant field engineer and was a member of the Soudan expedition in 1885. Mr. Lake was appointed quarter-master general of the Canadian militia in 1893, which position he held up to 1898 and at the present time is chief of the general staff of the Canadian militia. He was created a Companion of the Bath in 1899.

Sir Hugh Graham.

Sir Hugh Graham, well known throughout Canada as the chief owner of the Montreal Star, was born at Athelstan, in the county of Huntingdon, Quebec, on July 18th, 1848. He served his apprenticeship in newspaper work under his uncle, E. H. Parsons, who published the Montreal Commercial Advertiser and afterward the Evening Telegram. On the discontinuance of the latter Mr. Graham became secretary-treasurer of the Gazette Publishing Co. In 1896, in partnership with G. T. Lanigan, he established the Evening Star, of which he soon acquired full control and which has for many years been one of the most prosperous and profitable publications in the Dominion. Sir Hugh, is known to a very wide circle of acquaintances as an amiable and generous man, largely interested in works of philanthropy and benevolence. One of his notable achievements was the collection, through the Star, of nearly $100,000, in 1897, for the relief of the famine sufferers in India. Sir Hugh's wife was, before her marriage, Miss Annie Beekman, of Hamilton.

Brigadier-General McDonald.

Brigadier-General D. A. McDonald, who was created a commander of the Order of St. Michael and St. George, is a member of the Militia Council of the Dominion of Canada and is also a member of the Imperial Service Order. Brigadier-General McDonald has seen active service having taken an active part in the South African war.

CITY'S BANK CLEARINGS MAKE GOOD SHOWING

Victoria's Increased Business Was Second Only to Winnipeg in Dominion.

The bank clearings of the city of Victoria which have been steadily increasing from week to week for some time past compare very favorably with the showings in other places. While decreases are common in many of the Canadian and United States cities, Victoria is one of the centres where increases are shown.

A relative table of clearings for last week shows that only one Canadian city surpassed Victoria in its percentage of increase. This was Winnipeg with 18.6 per cent, while Victoria showed 13.4 per cent increase.

—A sale of work under the auspices of St. Agnes Guild will be opened in St. Mark's church schoolroom, Boleskin road on Tuesday, November 24th, by Bishop Perrin. The sale will be open from 3 p.m. to 10 p.m. A large variety of articles suitable for Christmas gifts will be found on the tables, afternoon tea will be served, there will be homemade candy and other toothsome delicacies to be had, and in the evening a programme of vocal and instrumental music will be rendered.

Bookcase and Desk

THE COMBINATION KIND



SOME EXCELLENT STYLES in the combination Bookcases and Writing Desks are shown on our Third Floor. This combination is popular with many, and this season's offerings are sure to please because of their excellence.

Desks are conveniently arranged for storage of writing materials. The bookcase is roomy. Finish and workmanship of superior quality. Pleased to show you these.

New Wardrobe Box Couches

Offered at, each, $9.25 and $10.50

Here is another late item in Furniture—New Wardrobe Box Couches. Just this morning we placed in stock a new line of these. These are made in our own factory, which is sufficient guarantee of quality to most people. The new ones are upholstered in handsome Art Denim, and are very attractive in appearance. Ever tried one of these useful furniture pieces? Better have a look at the new arrivals. Two sizes, priced at, each, $10.50 and.....$9.25

New Bedroom Furniture

Here is another late addition to the Furniture Store—White Enameled Bedroom Furniture. We have just put into stock some splendid pieces in this style of furniture and invite your inspection of these new arrivals. We might add that this is WHITE—not the "muddy white" you sometimes have offered you. Just Weiler quality once more.

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LADIES' VICI KID BOOTS, patent tip, American make. Regular $4.00 and $5.00. Sale price....$2.15
LADIES' HOUSE SLIPPERS, elastic fronts. Regular $1.40. Sale price 95c
MISSES' BOOTS, $1.50, $1.25 and $1.00
BOYS' BOOTS, $1.00 and $1.25

About 70 pairs MEN'S BOX CALF LEATHER LINED BOOTS, double soles, English back straps, all solid. Regular price $4.00. Sale price $2.35
MEN'S WORKING BOOTS. Regular $2.50 and $3.00. Sale price.....$1.25
MEN'S BOX CALF LACE BOOTS, combination grain, elastic sides, plain toes and dongola kid congress. All sizes. Values up to $4.00. Sale price.....$1.95
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